

# WEATHER FORECASTS

The barometer remains low over Northern British Columbia, and rain has been general southward to Oregon. Snow has fallen in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

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# BRITISH COAL MINERS' STRIKE IS EILED AT LAST

## NEW ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD

B.C. Executive of Conservative Party Hears Petitions Against Saanich and Oak Bay Convention Delegates

## KAMLOOPS CONVENTION ISSUE IS DISPOSED OF

Charge of Irregularity in Recent Meeting Is Withdrawn by Supporters of Petition After Discussion

VANCOUVER, B.C., Nov. 13.—All delegations of irregular practices in the election of delegates in Saanich district and in the Oak Bay section of Victoria riding, where Ladner forces were victorious, were not substantiated before the meeting of the British Columbia executive of the Conservative party here this afternoon and this evening.

Agreement, was, however, reached between the two factions in Saanich to hold another meeting, owing to the fact that by inadvertence the notice calling the meeting had not been published in the Victoria Conservative newspaper. A meeting was requested also in Oak Bay.

The executive meeting was well attended and every aspect of the two petitions was examined. Evidence was heard from both Bower and Ladner supporters, during the session, which lasted for more than five hours. Following the meeting Mr. J. E. Carpenter, provincial secretary, handed out the following statement: "At a well attended meeting of the

## Turkish and Russian Ministers Have Talk

ODERSA, Ukraine, Nov. 13.—Foreign Ministers Tchitcherin and Tewfik Ruzhdi Bey, of Turkey, meeting for their much discussed conference, had a private conversation lasting three hours today.

## Memorial Service Held for Armistice

PARKSVILLE, Nov. 13.—A large number of people attended the War Memorial service held on Armistice Day at the War Memorial, Cross, Parkville. The parade of veterans was commanded by Mr. E. J. Feary, and the Boy Scouts by Mr. W. G. Price, and Girl Scouts by Miss Ruth Tryon. The Rev. Mr. Popham conducted the service, and Mr. F. Hoar blew the "Last Post." Many beautiful wreaths were placed at the foot of the Memorial, including those from Masonic Lodge, Loyal Orange Association, the Legion, Women's Institute, Women's Auxiliary, and many others.



from the  
**Colonist Tower**  
Sunday, November 14  
31st Day, 1926  
THE WEATHER  
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and mild.  
Sun rises: 7:20 o'clock.  
Sun sets: 4:38 o'clock.

## Deep-Sea Shipping

(Sunday) Emma Alexander, from Seattle, 7 a.m.  
(Monday) Empress of Canada, from Orient, 7 a.m.  
Departures  
Emma Alexander, for California, 9 a.m.

## Sport

Canadian Rugby: Alberta 21, Victoria 2.  
Rugby: Wanderers 3, Cowichan 3.  
Victoria College 3, Brexwood 3.  
England 21, New Zealand 11.  
Soccer: Saanich Thistles 3, Wests 3.  
Esquimalt 3, James Island 1.  
Y.M.C.A. 3, Five C's 2.  
Three C's 3, Saanich Rovers 3.  
Esquimalt United 1.  
Percy Watson re-elected hockey president.  
Mrs. Killa wins Naylor golf trophy at Uplands.

## The News

Local and Provincial  
Mayor forecasts reduction in city taxation by more than \$200,000 next year.  
Saanich will share in industrial development, Mr. Pinneo shows. Six projects under consideration.  
Fourandex Company observes Armistice with commemorative dinner.  
Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—  
British coal miners' strike ended. Three hundred Communists meet Queen Marie in Chicago.  
Cariboo Highway to be officially opened in Spring.  
Chinese honor memory of Sun Yat Sen.  
Quick work made in cable laying. Prince George is aboard Empress of Russia en route for Victoria.  
Japanese Emperor's condition said to be worse.

## Japan's Emperor Reported to Be in Grave Condition

TOKIO, Nov. 14.—The long illness of Emperor Yoshihito has reached an alarming stage. Bronchitis, added to other complications of disease dating from infancy, has prostrated the Emperor in his mountain villa at Hayama, fifty miles south of the capital.

His Empress, Sadako, and his eldest son, Prince Regent Hirohito, watch by his bedside, while Buddhist priests offer up supplication in the woods nearby. Scores of ladies of the court are attending the Emperor in the palace of their sovereign, mentally and physically incapacitated for several years.

The Emperor has been watching the Japanese issue hopeful bulletins, but the country is prepared.

## LIMELIGHT HELD BY QUEEN MARIE

New Incident Revives Interest in Tour—Chicago Communists Introduce Unlooked for Reception Feature

## CROWD WITH BANNERS IS UNCOMPLIMENTARY

Door at City Hall Is Stormed by Demonstrators, Only to Find That Object of Verbal Assault Has Left

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—Three hundred Communists, carrying incendiary banners derogatory to Queen Marie and the Rumanian Government, invaded Chicago's city hall, to meet Queen Marie, who was to be welcomed to the city. In the plan which she approved for her reception, greeted with social and military pomp, Marie swept through the packed concourse of the Illinois Central Station and into the royal car, to find in the background of the welcoming throng members of the International Workers' Defense League, flaunting legends, papers and handbills assailing her and the government she represents.

"Down with Rumanian terrorism," "Down with Queen Marie, oppressor of Bukovina and Bessarabia," and "1910 political prisoners rot in Rumanian jails," were among the inscriptions which the Communists waved aloft.

The Queen, sheltered from the din of rain by her enclosed car, gave no indication that she was aware of the demonstration, and proceeded to the City Hall, where she was presented to Mayor Dwyer and the City Council, who gave her the keys to the city.

As she left the City Hall by one exit, the bedraggled battalion of Communists, which had marched in disarray up side streets to the building, stormed another door and carried their banners into the municipal building, only to find that the target of their barbs had gone.

The police beat them back and expelled them from the building, arresting several who resisted.

## Official Visit Made By Governor-General Has Full Programme

TORONTO, Nov. 13.—Lord Willington, Governor-General, and Lady Willington received a warm welcome from Toronto citizens on their first official visit to this city today. Shortly after their arrival they proceeded to the Parliament Buildings and there received an address of welcome from the province, the University of Toronto, and various local organizations. Their Excellencies at the city hall, were greeted by a huge crowd who witnessed the informal welcome by Mayor Thomas Foster, prior to the official civic welcome delivered in the council chamber of the city hall. Lord Willington laid a large floral wreath on the cenotaph in front of the city hall.

This afternoon at Government House, a reception in their honor was held. Tonight the Governor-General and Lady Willington attended the Royal Winter Fair.

Until Thursday afternoon, when Lord and Lady Willington return to Ottawa, they have a full programme of addresses, luncheons and formal ceremonies.

## Feeling Against Italy Aroused in Jugoslavia

BELGRADE, Nov. 13.—Reports reaching here that the Italian police have been ordered to watch prominent Jugoslavia of the Slav minority in Northeastern Italy, has still further inflamed the feelings of the people.

Yesterday Independent Democrats moved a resolution protesting against that they termed the Italian persecution of the Jugoslavia minority. Foreign Minister Nintichich insisted that the passage of such a motion would have a deplorable effect on the relations between Italy and Serbia and it was rejected.

## MR. PINNEO HAS SIX PROJECTS

Saanich Will Play Important Part in Port Expansion—Room for Several Canneries, Expert Says

## PROVISIONS SHOULD BE MADE FOR CROP SURPLUS

Co-Operative Marketing Would Increase Output—Expert Wants Results Before Announcing Projects

MR. ROGER D. PINNEO, port development expert, engaged by the city to carry out an investigation of the possible expansion of this port, has at least six well defined projects for port development, it was learned during the course of an interview with this expert yesterday. These projects are quite apart from the proposed cold storage plant, grain elevator and lumber assembly plant.

Just what these projects are Mr. Pinneo declined to divulge, asserting that he would rather reveal them at the right time, when results had been obtained. Speaking too soon about proposed projects was one of the troubles that the city had already experienced, Mr. Pinneo stated. "You will always find some one to criticize and ready to induce you to alter your plans. The best policy is to get results first and announce the plans afterwards."

It was because of this that he would not divulge what plans he had for port development. He did, however, express the opinion that Saanich would play a major part in helping this port to grow.

## Tours Saanich Peninsula

In company with Mr. Montague Bruce, president of the Saanich Board of Trade, Mr. Pinneo has just completed an extensive tour of the Saanich peninsula, investigating the possibilities that Saanich could contribute toward the expansion of the port of Victoria.

The farmers in that district were greatly in need of two things, Mr. Pinneo stated. They were co-operative marketing of their produce and outside markets can absorb all that the Saanich Peninsula grows. There Continued on Page 2

## OFFICIAL OPENING IS SET FOR SPRING

CARIBOO HIGHWAY CEREMONIES WILL BE HELD UNDER AUSPICES OF AUTOMOBILE CLUB

Decision Reached at Conference With Deputy Minister of Public Works

VANCOUVER, Nov. 13.—Official opening of the Cariboo Highway through the Fraser Canyon will be held early in the spring, under the auspices of the Automobile Club of British Columbia, according to a decision reached at a conference of officials of the club and Mr. Phillip Phillips, Deputy Minister of Public Works.

Delegates from Eastern Canada and from the United States will be invited. Mr. Phillips announced that the meeting that the Government had decided to adopt a toll for the road, but could not announce the amount. He also stated that the suggestion of the Automobile Club that an emblem should be given to every motorist paying the toll would probably be adopted.

## Work for Automobile Club

The Automobile Club has appointed a special committee to undertake the work of planning the opening. Mr. John R. Read, president, is its chairman. A publicity campaign will be commenced immediately and a maximum attendance will be assured.

Part of the meeting was taken up with discussion of the road sign programme of the Provincial Government as it affects the work under taken by the Automobile Club of British Columbia.

Mr. Phillips stated that under the present arrangement the government would be able to place signs only on those roads which came under its programme.

Up to this time the Automobile Club of British Columbia, with the assistance of the government, has been putting signs on the roads on Vancouver Island, on the Lower Mainland and in the Upper Country as far as Nelson. The system of signing is uniform with that used by the Oregon and Washington Automobile Clubs.

## Man Who Neglected Cat Loses Case in Court

WINNIPEG, Nov. 13.—For alleged neglect of a cat named "Rufus," by Vic J. Chernick, to whose care it had been entrusted and \$5 paid for its maintenance in a boarding house for felines, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Frew were awarded damages totaling about \$10 by Judge McPherson in the county court today.

## Prince Left Shanghai Today for Canada



Youngest son of Their Majesties, the King and Queen, who will visit Victoria on his way from China to England, arriving on the Empress of Russia, on November 29. The above picture is from a portrait by Cyril Roberts, The Prince, who is a resident of the Prince's departure for Hong Kong, where he will be joined by his wife, the Princess, and his two daughters, the Princesses Alice and Marina. The Prince has been in Hong Kong and in the Yangtze Valley. He has visited Japan, Peking, and numerous other places in China, and everywhere entered with great zest into the social and sporting life of the various regions.

## Mayor Forecasts Tax Reduction of \$200,000

City Undertakes to Establish Record in Lessening Burden—Surplus From Unexpected Sources and Record Collection of Taxes This Year Occur

A REDUCTION of \$200,000 in taxation next year was forecast in a statement on the financial condition of the city, Mayor J. Carl Penderay yesterday. This is equivalent to a five-mill cut in the tax levy.

Materialization of this reduction, however, does not necessarily mean that there will be a five-mill reduction in the tax rate, as a portion of the reduction will be made through cuts in the assessments on land and improvements.

An similar cut in the tax levy was made at the beginning of this year, while the preceding three years also saw reductions in taxation. The proposed cut for 1927 is the largest that has been undertaken by the city for the past four years, exceeding even this year's reduction, which was not quite \$200,000.

## QUICK WORK MADE IN CABLE LAYING

ARRIVING AT PANNING ISLAND FROM RAMFELD SOUND, DOMINION ENDS WORK

Second Steamer Was Laying Cable at Other End—No Hitch Occurs on Either Vessel

VANCOUVER, Nov. 13.—Traveling an average distance of 260 miles each day for seventeen days, the Pacific Cable Board ocean cable laying steamer Dominion, which left Ramfild, Vancouver Island, on October 28, arrived on Sunday morning at Panning Island in mid-Pacific, relaying station for the board's cable linking Canada and the Antipodes.

While the Dominion was laying a duplicate cable between Ramfild and Panning Island, a distance of 3,440 miles, a second steamer, the Parady, was linking up a second cable between Panning Island and Fiji. With the joining of the two duplicate services between the two Dominions will be inaugurated, as the Sydney-Auckland-Fiji links of the second cable are already in use.

Throughout the period of the work of both vessels, no hitch had occurred. Each had run according to speed and schedule, and no surprises were met with.

As the cable was laid, an independent equipment tested it for taking messages. By this means the ocean locations of the vessel were brought into touch immediately with the shore stations and the headquarters of the board in Vancouver.

## Well-Known Engineer Dies in Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Nov. 13.—Death occurred here tonight at the family residence of a well-known civil engineer of the Province in the seventy-eighth year of his age.

He was a resident of this city for the past fifteen years and had been associated with engineering works for the Provincial Government and Federal Government. He was also a South African war veteran.

## Miners' Delegates Advise Acceptance Of Terms Proposed

Prolonged Struggle Ends Practically in Defeat of Men Who Held Out So Tenaciously—Agreement Is One Virtually Imposed by Government—It Is Reached Only After Bitter Opposition

## Another Week Will Be Required Before Mine Operation Can Become General

LONDON, Nov. 13.—To all intents the long coal stoppage, which dislocated half the country's industries, and is estimated to have cost the nation \$1,500,000,000, has ended with defeat of every important claim for which the miners fought so tenaciously. It may still be a week or more before there is a general resumption of work, but termination of the strike came today when the miners' delegate conference recommended that the miners accept the Government's peace proposals. The card vote of the delegates was 452,000 in favor of recommending that the districts accept the terms and 352,000 against the proposal.

That the miners, who vote by districts, not by ballot, will accept the recommendation is regarded as a foregone conclusion. The settlement is described by nobody as a negotiated peace. It is peace virtually imposed by the Government, and was reached only after a bitter opposition by a minority of the Welsh miners, and in the face of a probable stampede of the men back to work had it been rejected. The royal coal commission's report, which figured so largely in the earlier negotiations, is disregarded. The owners gained most of their points by the settlement, which means longer hours and decrease in wages for the men and complete disappearance of the national principle in arranging the conditions of work.

## ITALIAN PREMIER MUCH IN PUBLIC

SINCE RECENT ATTACK UPON HIM MUSSOLINI GOES OUT MORE THAN BEFORE

He Walks Through Streets, Drives Through Crowded Centers and Appears on Balcony

ROME, Nov. 13.—Premier Mussolini, who preaches the doctrine "live dangerously," is living up to it by mapping out a programme for the future which will carry him more than ever before the public despite the fact that he protect himself from further attempts at assassination by secluding himself.

Protection by keeping out of the public eye, the Duce feels, according to those close to him, would be treason to the Italian people, who see in him a symbol of the nation's spirit of indomitable fearlessness. Keeping in the limelight may be an national privilege for the ordinary mortal, but it is an obligation and a duty for a generalissimo who preaches the doctrine "live dangerously," and who says that risk should not be the spirit, but the staff of life for a weak nation which dares hope to be strong.

## Empire Cotton Growing Checked But Not Stopped

LONDON, Nov. 13.—The enormous American cotton crop, together with bad climatic conditions in the colonies, has set back the British Empire cotton-growing project to some extent, but the promoters are not despondent.

In a speech to the administrative council of the Empire Cotton Growing Corporation, Lord Derby said South Africa and Rhodesia should be able to grow cotton with at least as good a chance of profit as farmers in the United States, and urged Lancashire to continue its support and encouragement of the cotton-growing industry within the Empire.

Under Secretary for Colonies Gore was optimistic about the possibilities of the great middle belt of Nigeria for cotton growing.

## PASSCHENDAELE IS THEME OF SPEECH

LT.-COL. W. W. FOSTER, D.S.O., GIVES ARMISTICE ORATION AT DINNER

Number Six Company of Fourandex of Canada Celebrates Here—Effective Tabloids

The address of Col. W. W. Foster, D.S.O., A.D.C., who was the special guest of the local company of the Fourandex last evening, was of universal interest. The subject chosen by Col. Foster for his address was that of the battle of Passchendaele, in which he described the part which the Canadians had taken in this engagement in 1917. He outlined the character of the ground over which the Canadians had to operate, and the success which had attended their efforts. In this connection, the part which had been played by the corps under his command was explained. He said that he realized that there was a tendency to exaggerate the part played by the Canadian forces that took part, but at the same time he could not be lost sight of that the Canadians had played an important part in this section of the front.

Col. Foster was accorded a very hearty reception and was also cheered upon the conclusion of his address.

## Beam Wireless Will Be Great Empire Benefit

VANCOUVER, Nov. 13.—Linking up Australia with England and other parts of the Empire, the new Beam Wireless is going to prove of incalculable worth to all parts of the Empire, and especially to Australia, in the opinion of Sir Wm. Vickers, C.B.E., who is Government representative on the board of the Amalgamated Wireless of Australia. Sir William is also one of the outstanding woolen men of Australia, being a director of the John Vickers & Co., Ltd., and the Sydney Woolen Mills. He is in Vancouver, returning to Australia after a three months' trip through Canada and the United States.

A compliment was paid to the services that had been rendered in the war by the Canadian Forces. The sentiment was expressed that the American Legion was only too ready as all times to reciprocate with the Canadian services in the duty due to the common good.

The special guests of the evening included His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Mr. W. C. Nichol, the far-

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## SUBMARINES USED FOR RUM-RUNNING ON LAKE

Third Is Captured Near Boundary Line by Mounted Police—Doubtless Use Periscope

ST. ALBANS, Vt., Nov. 13.—An "rum-running" craft, described by Customs authorities as a "submarine without motors," was seized on Lake Champlain last night with 4,000 bottles of ale, it was reported here today.

According to word reaching the Collector of Customs here, the seizure was made in Canadian waters by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, for the United States authorities of Fort Montgomery, N.Y. Late last night the "submarine" which was anchored in a cove off the fort, and not more than 200 yards north of the imaginary border line, was boarded by a squad of troopers, who rowed out to the boat.

It is the third of such boats to be seized on Lake Champlain this season. The Customs men were fooled the first time they stopped one of the towing launches, but later one of the strange craft was found adrift, with 5,000 bottles of ale, in the lake. Then followed the capture of the second, with 4,000 bottles, as it was being towed on a 15-foot hawser. It had not submerged quickly enough.

**Double Purpose Periscope.**  
All three of the boats captured measured about twenty-eight feet in length. They are equipped with towing rings fore and aft. The decks are completely covered, with a small entrance that may be sealed against the water. Periscopes serve a double purpose in these craft. Both air and vision are had through them by the men below the surface of the lake. The submerging depth, of course, is limited by the height of the periscopes, which is a handicap to the operation of the boats during daylight hours. Tanks fore and aft have pet cocks which permit their filling and submerging the boat, but to raise the craft again the water must be pumped out by hand.

## MAYOR FORECASTS TAX REDUCTION OF \$200,000

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It exactly clear at the end of the year, as far as this may be possible. Even then, there will always be money available from the sale of city lands during the year.

**Efforts Conservative.**  
"No one could have anticipated the remarkable response of ratepayers this year, for all forms of collection have materially increased. In other words, our efforts at deflation proved too conservative in the light of the city's actual experience."

"I think it is possible, however, gradually to bring the city back to a basis where the end of each year will see our finances more evenly balanced. The aim of the City Council being that the ratepayers will not be asked to contribute one dollar more than is absolutely necessary to meet current requirements. With this end in view, as collections improve the tax rate will steadily decline."

"While it is too early yet to predict a tax rate for 1927, at the same time I feel confident that a hand-some reduction can be made in taxation, with every security for the proper maintenance of all city services. Personally, I am of the opinion that a sum of not less than \$200,000 could be struck from the levy, and I feel sure that, as taxation is reduced, the high percentage of collections already set will be maintained, and most probably increased."

"The per capita tax for municipal services in Victoria has steadily dropped for over four years, while this year's success is proof that this can be maintained. I know of no better advertisement for the City of Victoria than to be able to say that taxation is decreasing and collections are mounting up," the Mayor concluded.

## MR. PINNEO HAS SIX PROJECTS

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is also plenty of room for several canneries here. These would take care of the surplus crop and encourage fruit growers to increase their output."

These will be matters that Mr. Pinneo will go into thoroughly with a view to bringing in recommendations and even probably do something in the way of interesting capital.

**Outsiders Interested.**  
"Before we can interest outside capital to invest in Victoria, we must first prove to them that we have a port. It is no use showing them photographs of the port unless we can also show them the amount of cargo being handled by the vessels. I am getting valuable co-operation from City Hall officials, while the Admiral is particularly interested in the development of Victoria. I am continually in touch with Mr. A. F. Haines, vice-president of the Admiral Oriental Line, and Mr. H. P. Alexander, president of the Pacific Steamship Company. Both these men are interested in the development of this port, not only in the interests of Victoria, but their own business," Mr. Pinneo stated.

Considerable progress was being made, Mr. Pinneo stated. "I expect to see several large ships dock at the Ogden Point Pier shortly to load lumber from the lumber assembly plant. This is one thing that I am working on now." There were many

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## Officers of Union of B.C. Municipalities To Interview Cabinet

**RECOMMENDATIONS** passed by the convention of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities will be taken up with the Provincial cabinet by Reeve Tom Reid, Surrey, and Mr. A. W. Gray, New Westminster, president and secretary of the union, respectively. These two officials will arrive here this week. One change to be asked for affects school taxation. It is asserted that the cost of schooling in British Columbia has become too heavy and it is suggested that school taxation be levied on every wage earner in the Province in order to redistribute the burden.

other developments which were progressing favorably, which he did not care to mention before actual results were obtained.

The industrial committee of the City Council is also doing a valuable work in the expansion of the port. Although the press has been allowed free of the meetings, the library has not been given to publish the developments, apart from the fact that negotiations to establish a wooden mill here are progressing favorably. The grain elevator proposition is also being dealt with by this committee.

## PASSCHENDAELE IS THEME OF SPEECH

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Lieutenant-Governor, and Commander Nelles, R.C.N., who were introduced by the chairman, Major G. G. Aitken, commanding the local company.

To His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, fell the task of proposing the toast to the King.

## Tableaux Effective

The silent toast to the departed was duly honored and a very effective tableau was presented in this connection, in which the Flanders Field was duly presented to view.

The toast to the Air Force was proposed by Fourandex Strath, and was responded to by Fourandex Van der Byl, who came over from Vancouver for the gathering.

The Navy was proposed by Fourandex Robinson. The reply to this toast formed the address by Col. Foster.

A very effective tableau was presented in connection with O'Kelly, V.C., the second in command.

**Message From Sir Arthur Currie.**  
Among the letters of regret at being absent from the gathering was the following from General A. W. Currie:

"My Dear Aitken:  
"I appreciate very much your letter of October 23, in which you tell me of the annual dinner of the Victoria Fourandex to be held in Victoria on Saturday next, and in which you also are good enough to express the hope that it may be possible for me to be with you. Nothing would please me better, for the sake of being in Victoria and for the sake of being with you—my old fellow townsman and my old comrades."

"We, whose association was so close in days gone by, cannot meet, as you will next Saturday night, without feelings of deep and sincere emotion. While I cannot be with you, I am going down next week to have dinner with the officers in the Maritime Provinces who are dining together in Saint John on November 11. One glorious thought is that with them too, I shall be very much at home and very happy. The Corps knew no provinces as such. All wore the same badge—"Canada," and so whether we dine in Victoria, R.C., or in Saint John, N.B., we are first of all Canadians, wearing the same badge and cherishing the same ideals."

"One often hears these days pleas for a greater provincialism and a greater nationalism amongst Canadians. We had all that in the old Corps, and I think there would be less necessity for such a plea today if the spirit of the old Corps had always actuated returned soldiers since we came home."

"Please give my love to all my old friends. I hope good fortune always smiles upon them."  
"Yours faithfully,  
"A. W. CURRIE."

A brief note from Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., read as follows:

"Thanks very much for your kind letter of the thirteenth ultimo.  
"I can only say that it is heart-breaking to have to refuse the continued hospitality and kindness of the Fourandex, for whom and its members I have such an affectionate and enthusiastic memory."

"Just now I have serious domestic illness in my home, and feel I must stay from your glorious annual reunion."

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## MUSICAL CLUB HAS ARRANGED RECITAL

Mr. Charles Tree, English Baritone, Will Give Lecture on "Laughter and Song" at Empress Hotel

Owing to the length of the programme, the Ladies' Musical Club recital, to be given at the Empress Hotel on Wednesday, will begin promptly at 8:15 p.m. The doors will be open at 7:45, and the club members are requested to be in the ballroom as early as possible after this hour. This recital is open to the public.

The programme is an unusually interesting one. Mr. Charles Tree, English Baritone, will give his celebrated lecture, "Laughter and Song."

Mr. Donald Adams, a native son of Victoria, will play several piano groups. Miss Emily Bentley Dow, a pupil of Madame Engberg, of Seattle, has appeared in recital in all the larger cities of Washington, and has received a great amount of praise for her technique and interpretation. Miss Dow will be accompanied at the piano by her brother, Mr. James Dow.

## Woman Goes Bail for Man Who Disappears; She Goes to Prison

VANCOUVER, Nov. 13.—May Walsh informed Judge Cayley that when she signed on the dotted line in putting up a \$400 bail bond for William Johnston, convicted of selling liquor, she believed it was just a "formality," having been told that by the justice of the peace who took the bond.

Today May is in Oakalla and William footfree while police officers are keeping a lookout for him. The latter was fined \$100, and when his surety appeared before Judge Cayley to explain why it was that she could not produce the \$400 in lieu of Johnston's appearance on appeal, his Honor decided that May should at least put up Johnston's fine or go to Oakalla for thirty days.

Johnston appealed against his conviction in the police court, and pending appeal was given his liberty after May Walsh had put up the bond.

"The justice of the peace told me it was only a formality," she told the judge. "I told him I had only a few sticks of furniture, but he said it didn't matter." In ordering May to Oakalla for thirty days in lieu of the \$400 fine, Judge Cayley remarked that the matter of "strays" had become too prevalent for him to pass over. He also intimated that representations to the Attorney-General's Department would be in order.

## NEW ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD

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British Columbia executive of the Liberal-Conservative party, the petitions in respect to the election of delegates to the Kamloops convention in Saanich riding, and at Oak Bay, Victoria district, charging irregularities in connection with such elections, were considered. The meeting started at 3 o'clock and continued until 5 p.m., during which time much evidence was heard and considered.

The following resolutions were passed:

**Charles Withdraven.**  
"After full expression had been given before the executive, the delegates supporting the Saanich petition withdrew any charges of underhanded methods having been employed, and both parties interested agreed that on account of the notice of the primaries having been inadvertently left out of The Victoria Daily Colonist, a new meeting would be held after two days' notice of such meeting being given in The Daily Colonist of the time and place of such meeting."

"The British Columbia executive expresses the opinion that the omission to give notice in The Daily Colonist was through no fault of the Saanich executive."

"After making such expression of opinion, the executive considered the petition against the election of delegates from Oak Bay. The following resolution was passed:

"That this executive goes on record as strongly disapproving of the terms used in the petition, which was unsupported by evidence, but are of the opinion that proper notice of the election was not given, and that the Oak Bay executive be requested to arrange for a new meeting immediately by giving two days' previous notice of the time and place of such meeting."

**PARKVILLE, B.C., Nov. 13.**—A meeting of district Conservatives was held at the Parliar Hall, Parkville, on November 13, to appoint delegates for the convention to be held at Kamloops. The five delegates for the east coast of the Alberni riding are Messrs. Percy Rushton, Parkville; R. H. H. Hodgson, Hilliers; W. Russell Taylor, Errington; C. R. Mackenzie and A. Hill, Qualicum Beach.

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Building Fund Stands at \$208,190—  
Effort Will Be Made to Conclude Campaign by November 30

"Several important decisions regarding the construction of the new Christ Church Cathedral will be determined by the total amount of subscriptions received during the next two weeks," said an official of the new Cathedral committee last night. Yesterday's returns have brought the building fund to the sum of \$208,190.41 towards the \$300,000 which was the aim of this year's efforts.

While many persons in the city and the Island have given generously, the committee believes that there are others who wish to contribute to the building of the Cathedral, but have not yet decided upon the amount of their subscription.

"We wish everyone to know that subscriptions given now, even though payments are spread over the next three years, will be of the greatest help to the committee," it was stated yesterday.

**Announcement November 30**

Many reasons have led the new Cathedral committee to desire that the present organized effort for funds should be concluded on November 30. Some of the voluntary workers have been making regular visits in the house-to-house canvass since September, and while a number of canvassers are willing to continue their efforts in order to bring the fund nearer the required objective of \$300,000, the committee recognized the advisability of releasing them in the season of Christmas approaches.

Arrangements are being made for a public meeting in the Memorial Hall on November 30, when an official announcement will be made of the position of the building fund and the plans of the building committee.

In the meantime, the architect, Mr. J. C. M. Keith, was given instructions last week which will enable him to complete the working drawings and

specifications of the new building. "Whether the nave and west front as planned, shall be attempted or whether reductions in the first portion of the building to be undertaken may have to be considered, will depend largely on the amount of subscriptions received before November 30," it was stated yesterday. "There is no doubt that thousands of people wish to see the Cathedral constructed along the projected lines of Mr. Keith's design. The simple beauty of its proportions would give Victoria a central place of worship which would be greatly admired, and would be in daily use from the time of its opening. But the Cathedral authorities are unwilling to embark upon the venture until the money required is in sight," the announcement declared.

**Two Prisoners Allowed New Trials by Court**

QUEBEC, Nov. 13.—Two prisoners under sentence of death for murder, received new leases of life through judgments handed down by the Appeal Court of Quebec Province here today. Emily Sprague Gallon, convicted of poisoning her husband, Abraham, will get a new trial, the court finding that the address of Hon. Judge Gauthier to the jury at her trial was illegal and wrongly advised the jurors.

Eugene Bigaouette, convicted of the murder of his mother a year ago by strangling, was refused a new trial, but two judges dissented, thus giving the right of appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada.

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Full Programme for Provincial Fair—  
Formation of New Organization to Be Discussed

The annual British Columbia Potato, Bulb and Seed Show will be held in the Armories from November 24 to 27, the official opening to take place at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. This exhibit is being held under the auspices of the Provincial Department of Agriculture in co-operation with the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, the British Columbia Certified Seed Potato Growers' Association and the Victoria and District Gardeners' Association.

A fine list of exhibits have been assured from all potato growing districts of the Province. Probably the most outstanding business to be held in connection with this show is the meeting to discuss the formation of a British Columbia Seed Growers' Association. Several papers will be read and addresses given during the exhibit.

**Programme**

The following is a tentative outline of the programme:

**Wednesday, November 24**  
2:30 p.m.—Chairman's Introductory remarks—Dr. D. Warnock, Provincial Deputy Minister of Agriculture. Official opening by Lieutenant-Governor R. R. Bruce. Address of welcome on behalf of Provincial Government by Premier Oliver. Address of welcome on behalf of City of Victoria by Mayor Pendray, to be followed by short addresses by Reeve Ansonby, of Oak Bay Municipality; Reeve Macneil, of Saanich Municipality, and Reeve Matheson, of Esquimalt Municipality.  
8 p.m.—Moving pictures. Music by the Navy League Juvenile Prize Band.

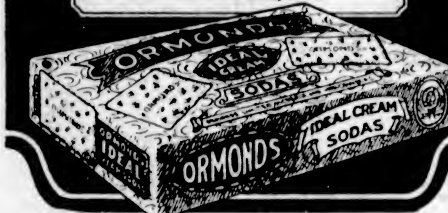
**Thursday, November 25**  
Annual meeting of the British Columbia Certified Seed-Potato Growers' Association. 9:45 a.m.—Roll call. Reading of minutes. President's address. Reports of executive and secretary-treasurer. Reports of committees. Election of officers. Special business. Unfinished business. New business.  
12 p.m.—Luncheon with the Victoria Rotary Club. Addresses by Hon. E. D. Barrow, Provincial Minister of Agriculture, and Major H. G. I. Strange, president of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, Fern, Alta.

1:45 p.m.—B. C. Certified Seed-Potato Growers' Association meeting (continued).  
8 p.m.—Moving pictures. Music by the Navy League Juvenile Prize Band.

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4:15 p.m.—Banquet.  
8:30 p.m.—Auction sale.  
10 p.m.—Dance.



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## THE INCOME TAX YOKO

Any Dominion-wide movement looking towards the abolition of the Federal Income Tax will be certain of obtaining popular approval. There was a reduction in this tax at the last session of the Federal Parliament. Election promises of a further reduction were made by the Liberals in the course of the late campaign. This piecemeal way of handling the situation is not altogether satisfactory, because the last "decrease" meant shifting the burden from the shoulders of some taxpayers to the shoulders of others, and we do not doubt that something similar will happen when there is again a reduction effected. To this extent there is little use hoodwinking the people when the volume of revenue collected from the Income Tax source remains substantially the same.

The Retail Trade Bureau of Canada is now engaged in a campaign for the abolition of the Federal Income Tax. It is desired to show that the Income Tax is acting as a break on national progress. In the publicity matter already in circulation on the subject it is pointed out that the addition of the Income Tax "would solve the problem of immigration as well as the problem of obtaining capital for the development of the country's industrial and natural resources." It is further pointed out that, with no Income Tax, unemployment would be relieved, and generally speaking, industrial and commercial activity would be promoted.

In commenting on the campaign for the abolition of the Income Tax and giving the movement its blessing The Montreal Gazette asks what the obstacle to its removal. It sees that obstacle in the affection of the agrarian for a tax that someone else has to pay. The Government, too, it says, hesitates to lop off a tax which yields a revenue of \$50,000,000 annually. The first objection The Gazette describes as purely selfish and sectional. As to the Government's objection it is indicated that by administrative economies the revenue which income tax means could be rendered unnecessary. The Income Tax levy in the United States stands at a lower rate than that imposed in Canada. There have been definite reductions made in that tax there with the specific purpose of stimulating business activities. The Montreal Gazette believes that no other factor militates so strongly against the industrial and commercial recovery of the Dominion as does the Income Tax. Here is how it winds up its argument: "No other country in the world has such opportunities as Canada has, but complete realization of those opportunities is impossible while the yoke of the Income Tax remains."

## RACE CONSCIOUSNESS

The Asiatic Review attempts to explain the situation in China and what has led to the civil wars with which that country has been cursed for some years. The inception of the present chaos dates from the establishment of the Chinese Republic. When the regime changed an army was set up for the protection of the constitution. That army had to be divided into sections and in each section there was a Commander-in-Chief. The local Commanders appear to have been given full control, political and military, in their various regions and the circumstances were such that any one of these Commanders was in a position to ignore, and even defy the presidential mandates. The Commanders, as occasion arose, increased their armies. They became aggressive in attempting to enlarge their political power and consequently a species of militarism developed in China.

The foregoing explanation is only an explanation in part because there are many undercurrents of thought in China which have had their effect in leading to the present situation. The Review also points to the struggle between two political ideals—Local Autonomy and Centralization. Political thought in China is somewhat anomalous. There is at one and the same time resentment at any idea of the partition of China and also a passionate demand for provincial independence. The deepest current of thought, however, is in the awakening race consciousness. That is a fact of the highest significance to the peoples of the world. It cannot be ignored where a population of 400,000,000 people is concerned. It must exert an immense influence on the course of events in the future when China is a stable country under a strong government. With China taking her place among the foremost Powers of the world, as she eventually must do, the whole aspect of Far Eastern affairs will change.

In connection with the awakening of her race consciousness The Asiatic Review deprecates that China should, in any way, have been alienated from the League of Nations, because, it says, there is no people to whom the idea of arbitration so strongly appeals. A proposed solution of the present impasse, so far as it may be brought about by a policy of co-operation by

nations, is suggested by The Asiatic Review. It advocates a conference composed of representatives of the Powers, of the Peking Government and of the chief conflicting parties in China, civil and military. The aims of such a conference it believes should be to discover, by friendly negotiation, a solution of China's internal problems on the basis of the demobilization of the standing armies and a settlement between the Provincial and Central Governments. Secondly, the conference would be a meeting ground, following the realization of the first object, for a profitable discussion of outstanding international questions, such as tariff and extra-territoriality. Thirdly, with the settlement of internal and international questions, an arrangement could be made through the consortium for that financial assistance necessary to set China on her feet. Such assistance it is proposed might provide for the funding of the unsecured loans and loans for administration.

The proposals as outlined are such as would undoubtedly appeal to the Great Powers, but China, indeed, any part of China, is a factor that cannot be regarded as it existed in the past on account of the awakening of race consciousness. China has given too many evidences of antipathy to foreigners during the past few years to indicate that she will welcome their co-operation in the settlement of her internal difficulties. The whole situation is an extremely delicate one and it is problematical if any one Power could take the initiative. Probably a way might be found if China is given a seat on the Council of the League of Nations. That is a step that might invoke a better feeling towards the Powers inasmuch as it would be a recognition of the growing importance of the largest of Oriental nations.

## A CITY MANAGER

It is contended by the advocates of the City Manager form of Government that a by-law respecting the bringing of it into force must be submitted to the people embodying the powers, duties, etc., of such an official. Strictly speaking they may be right in such a contention, but the fact remains that it would be well to ascertain first if the voters of Victoria want a City Manager at all before they are asked to decide on what his powers should be. A decision affecting the latter before the main proposition is voted upon is like putting the tail light before the engine.

The opponents of a City Manager form of government are, as we understand the matter, perfectly willing to vote on the simple issue of such an appointment being made. They regard a decision in this particular as a necessary preliminary to the apportionment of power to such a new civic official. The attitude is in no sense an unreasonable one. Indeed, it is logical, for there are those who might favor a City Manager but who might not be willing to acquiesce in the powers with which it is proposed he should be invested. Why a simple referendum is sought is to remove all ambiguity so that a definite decision can be obtained. The City Council will be well within its rights in taking this course. There is nothing mandatory in the legislation affecting a City Manager to prevent a referendum such as has been proposed by Alderman Marchant.

## The Weather

The French Army now totals in effectives 31,028 officers and 647,434 men. These figures include 96,449 North Africa natives, 57,418 Colonial natives and 11,989 irregular troops, nearly all of whom are stationed outside France. The army of occupation in Morocco will number 2,819 officers and 82,795 men during 1927. In Algeria and Tunisia there will be stationed 2,646 officers and 77,329 men next year.

The Royal Society of St. George at its annual meeting has passed a resolution urging the teaching of patriotism in schools. Such education it regards as an antidote to disloyal and revolutionary propaganda. It also urges the founding of chairs of patriotism at the universities. The resolution, which was passed unanimously, was moved by Major Richard Rigg and seconded by Lord Allenby.

TEMPERATURE		Min.	Max.
Vancouver	47	43	51
Kamloops	45	41	49
Barkerville	40	36	44
Prince Rupert	40	36	44
Edmonton	38	34	42
Dawson, Y.T.	32	28	36
Portland, Ore.	50	46	54
San Francisco, Cal.	54	50	58
Seattle	50	46	54
Spokane	48	44	52
Verona	48	44	52
Grand Forks	48	44	52
Nelson	48	44	52
Kaslo	48	44	52
Nanaimo	48	44	52
Langley	48	44	52
Swift Current	38	34	42
Prince Albert	38	34	42
Qu'Appelle	38	34	42
Winnipeg	38	34	42

Forecast for the weather, fair to moderate with generally fair and mild to moderate winds, partly cloudy and mild with occasional rain.

SATURDAY  
Maximum—55  
Minimum—47  
Average—51  
Milium on the ground—10  
Bright sunshine, 4 hours 36 minutes.  
Rain, 13 inches.

General state of the weather, fair to moderate with generally fair and mild to moderate winds, partly cloudy and mild with occasional rain.

8 P.M. Weather Reports  
Victoria—Barometer, 30.94; wind, W. 13 miles; fair.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.94; wind, S.E. 4 miles; fair.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.94; rain; rain.  
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.94; rain; rain.  
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.94; rain; rain.  
Edmonton—Barometer, 30.94; wind, N.W. 4 miles; fair.  
Dawson, Y.T.—Barometer, 30.94; wind, N.W. 4 miles; fair.  
Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.94; wind, W. 13 miles; fair.  
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## Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

One of the fundamental laws governing this earthly speck in the great universe is the law of growth. Everything upon this globe endowed with the yet mysterious attribute of life must grow. The moment the process of growth is completed the process of decay begins. That is the natural law, and it is more arbitrary than the laws of Premier Mussolini. It is a law which cannot be set aside by decree of any court.

The natural result is that everything to which the vital spark has been applied is possessed of an intense desire to grow. The small boy, you will find, if you design to enter into conversation with him, is keen upon becoming a big man—as big a man, if possible, as his daddy. That is the first visible summit of the small boy's ambition. The inevitable consequence of the consummation of this ambition, that he must in process of time also become an old man, does not affect his desire to attain years of maturity and realization of great physical proportions and strength. The days of his years as yet appear to be limitless.

If you possess the faculty of gaining the confidence of the small boy's little sister, you will find that the ambition of the wee girl is to grow quickly into a big woman. There is of course a penalty attached to the attainment of this ambition, and it is perhaps more to be dreaded than the penalty attached to the attainment of the goal of the small boy. That is something every mature woman knows; but that knowledge is mercifully hidden from the understanding of the little girl.

If the secrets in the minds of the lower orders of creation were revealed to the creatures of the higher order, it doubtless would be found that there is nothing living upon this earth that is not blessed or afflicted with the strong desire to grow and to become imposing in physical dimensions. Even the things we consider inanimate, such as the trees, the vegetables of the gardens and the flowers of the field, are all subject to the same natural law. Some authorities tell us that even the rocks are endowed with the principle of life and are subject to the law of growth.

If we proceed to personify the cities of the earth, we find that there is not one of them so big that it does not dream of becoming still bigger. A big city not only dreams of becoming bigger; it schemes and strives to become still bigger. The people of New York are looking forward with hope and enthusiasm to the day when they will be in a position to announce with authority that their millions are more than the millions of the people of London. There are penalties attached to the attainment of such ambitions. Anyone who has lived for a time in cities like London or New York, or even in cities of much smaller growth, knows that. But the people of London or New York, like the small boy who lives entirely in the future, know nothing of those things, or prefer to live in ignorance of such things. Man, after all, is a gregarious creature, and the daily vision of millions of his fellow-creatures tearing madly through the streets in pursuit of wealth or pleasure appeals strongly to his imagination; and he comforts himself with the reflection that this is life in the superlative degree; the only form of life worth living.

Thus we find great cities are being built in many parts of the world, abnormal growth of population in certain places and lack of natural growth of population in many of the places where population ought to grow. The urban population of every civilized country in the world is increasing rapidly and the rural population of every civilized country in the world is decreasing alarmingly. Every city in Great Britain, an old country, is increasing in population at a greater relative rate than the country districts. Every city in the United States, a comparatively new country, is increasing in population while the country districts are decreasing in population.

The total population of Canada is growing at a disappointingly low rate, but the population of all large cities of Canada is growing at a very rapid rate. Montreal claims a population of more than a million; Toronto claims a population of more than three-quarters of a million. A recently-taken census proves that the rural population of Canada is decreasing in several places where the conditions are favorable to growth.

We are told that man by taking thought cannot add a cubit to his stature. We do not know whether that philosophical observation is applicable to the case of a country as well as to the case of an individual; but we notice that one of our leading public men has recently declared that unless Canada can add to her population she is lost—meaning, of course, that Canada under existing conditions

is in danger of losing her national identity or status, or something of that kind. In the meantime Canada is in that critical position because the leaders in her public affairs have chosen to place her in that position, because they have made the way of the immigrant hard, the conditions of obtaining access to Canada difficult. The policy of our political leaders is dictated by interests which demand that the population of Canada shall be limited to a specially selected class, and even that class must be winnowed down to a comparatively few of the finest and the hardest grains. If the United States, when in a position similar to the position of Canada today, had adopted such a policy there never would have been any necessity for the adoption of a quota law.

## SEVENTY-SEVEN ARE ALREADY CHOSEN

RAPID PROGRESS IN SELECTION OF DELEGATES MADE ON ISLAND

Total Panel, Under Constitution, for Vancouver Island is 27, 110 of Whom Are Elective

When the Liberal-Conservative Convention for the purpose of selecting a leader of the party in British Columbia meets in Kamloops on Tuesday, November 23, there is every prospect that the entire Province will be well represented. In all parts of the country delegates are being named, or are already appointed to attend the convention.

While there will be a number of proxies used, a maximum being set, however, on their utilization, there is nevertheless a prospect that the attendance in person will be very large. In the city of Kamloops it has become a serious matter how the delegates will be taken care of. The interference of some rivalry into the contest for leadership between Mr. W. J. Bowser, K.C., and Mr. Leon J. Ladner, M.P., has aroused the minds of the party to manifest no small amount of enthusiasm for their respective favorite for the office. The stimulus that has been injected into the party by the rivalry of the party is well shown by the fact that the delegates have for the greater part been selected. In a few instances there is still some wavering, some of these delegates, while a few scattered sections have yet to select the representatives of the districts at the convention.

The Island is entitled to be represented by its three resident Senators, the two Conservative members of the House of Commons, and the defeated candidate in Comox-Alberni, by its eight Conservative representatives in the Legislature, and three defeated candidates, and by 110 delegates representing eleven seats in the Legislature.

As far as is known the list is:

**Victoria**  
Ward One—Mrs. Monteth and Mrs. S. Walker; Messrs. Harry Stanley, J. P. Redding, J. O'Reilly and William Mable.  
Ward Two—Captain M. D. Harbord, Messrs. A. Cave, F. Coley, W. Hardy, W. A. Hurd, G. Penketh and Mrs. Esler.  
Ward Three—Mrs. Randall, Messrs. C. H. Revercomb, J. P. Parnell, E. F. Gould, D. B. Plunkett, Hugh McDonald and H. Sayce.  
Ward Four—Messrs. M. P. Gordon, A. J. Helmcken, John Day, I. Tait, E. B. Andros, J. Huxtable and J. J. Bothwell.  
Ward Five—Major C. L. Roberts, Mrs. S. R. Roberts, Messrs. P. C. Elliott, William Duck, E. S. Blair and A. I. Kirkpatrick. One vacancy.

**Oak Bay**  
(Six) to be elected at new meeting.

**Esquimalt**  
Equipment—Township (five)—Mrs. R. R. Bowden, Messrs. A. W. Sandler, S. Thompson, W. J. Cook and T. H. Slater.  
Shawigan Lake—Dr. Boyd.  
Cobb Hill and Islay—Mr. W. Mudge. Three more to be selected.  
**Saanich**  
(Ten) to be elected at new meeting.

**Islands**  
Salt Spring Island—Major F. C. Tait and Mr. W. W. McFarley of Ganges, and Mr. A. J. Eaton, of Fulford Harbor. The substitute in case of a vacancy is Mr. Arthur Inglis.  
**Cowichan-Newcastle**  
Cowichan—Mrs. C. P. Davis, Messrs. O. T. Smith, J. Islay Muller (Duncan), Mr. J. B. McMillan (Westholme), Mr. W. H. May (Cowichan Station), Unintroduced.  
Newcastle—Messrs. D. Nicholson, H. Wright, A. Galloway, R. Weaver and J. Nimmo.

**Nanaimo**  
Messrs. Fred G. Peto, John Bennett, Richard Kirkham, Geo. Tippet, R. Tippet, T. Walters, A. Toombs, Mrs. Dee, Mrs. Meek and Mrs. Mortlock.  
**Comox**  
Three from the northern section were appointed, Messrs. A. M. Wattell, Lamb and W. E. Anderson, Cumberland will be represented by Dr. Hicks and Mr. D. R. Macdonald; Courtney by Messrs. J. N. McLeod and Wm. Duncan; Comox by Mrs. J. McKennie, Roydon by Major Hilton; Donnan Island by Mr. Gavin Russell; while Messrs. M. B. Stephens and T. Hudson were elected if other delegates were unable to go. A delegate from Merville is yet to be appointed.

**Alberni**  
East Coast Section—Mr. Percy Rushion, Parkville; Mr. R. H. H. Hodgson, Hilliers; Mr. W. Russell Taylor, Herrington; Messrs. C. R. MacKenzie and A. Hill, Qualicum Beach.

## GERMAN AMBASSADORS HAVE DIFFICULT TASK

Minister Sent to Washington Must Fly Flag No. as to Peace at Home and Abroad

BERLIN, Nov. 13.—A bitter attack on Baron Aso von Maltzan, German ambassador to the United States, is printed today by The Lokal Anzeiger, Diehard Nationalist paper, because of his reported action in hoisting the German flag on Armistice Day.

"This action," the newspaper says, "must be branded as the most disgraceful act of self-degradation of which a German diplomatic mission abroad can be found guilty."

The attack is contained in a two-column front page article, which criticizes the Versailles Treaty and its consequences, and closes with a demand that the foreign office take immediate action against the ambassador.

The Lokal Anzeiger's attack recalls another flag incident in which a German ambassador to the United States, Baron von Maltzan's predecessor, failed to lower the flag on the Emancipation Day of the death of former President Wilson in February, 1912. Three days after Mr. Wilson's death, an irate crowd visited the Embassy in the early morning and on an American flag to the flagpole. The incident was thought to have had much to do with the ambassador's early recall in the following year. Dr. Weidelt died last July at Essen, Germany, where he was director-general of the Krupp Works.

The last item on the long agenda, however, was the receiving of resignations of members of the Chamber of Commerce, which gave one cause for considerable wonderment. Probably none but those actively engaged can realize the amount of time that the executive business of the Cham-

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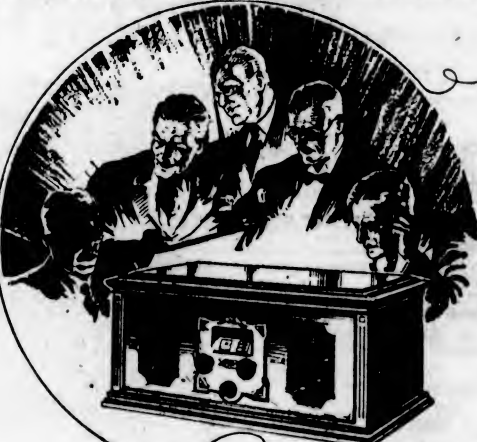
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### Communist Outbreaks Occur in Dutch Island

BATAVIA, Java, Nov. 13.—There were widespread Communist outbreaks overnight in various parts of Western Java. Minor damage was done to the railway and telegraph lines. The authorities promptly quelled the disturbance. In Batavia itself, a brief moment of excitement followed an abortive attack on one prison.

At West Rantam, a most carrying firearms and electric torches, forced its way into the district chief's house. They murdered the chief and two other natives and severely wounded his wife and child.

At Tjengra, the district chief and some policemen were killed.

At Labuan, the district chief was wounded but managed to escape from his assailants.

### River Pirates Capture Canadian Missionary

TORONTO, Nov. 13.—Pirates, pickpockets and police figure in letters just received at foreign mission offices of the United Church of Canada from South China. Dr. J. A. McDonald, of the South China Mission, writes from Kiangmen that after capturing "Chinese boats" the river pirates recently made bold to capture a customs boat and to kill a customs officer who was on board. Miss Macleod, a Canadian Baptist missionary, was on board and was kept prisoner eight days and then released.

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## Asiatic Peoples Will Throw Off White Yoke

Prediction Made by Manuel Quezon, President of Philippine Senate—Another Great War Envisaged—China Leader of Yellow Races, He Thinks

By JAY G. HATHORN  
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MANILA, Nov. 13.—Another world war with the contending forces, the combined white races of the West and the colored races of the East, is envisaged by Manuel L. Quezon, president of the Philippine Senate, as inevitable "unless the western nations quickly revise their methods of dealing with the eastern peoples."

Mr. Quezon, it should be understood, did not make the prediction of a yellow peril as a threat against the United States and other western nations. In fact, the question as to a possible combination of eastern forces against the west came up casually in a more or less academic discussion of the relationship of the Philippine problem to the larger issue as to the future of Western influence in the Orient.

"It is argued," I had said, "that American withdrawal from the Philippines at this time would be construed as a confession of western weakness and it would arouse the subject peoples of the east everywhere to rebellion."

"That is all wrong," said Mr. Quezon, rising from his chair in his earnestness. "Unless some western nation quickly takes the lead in revising the western estimate of eastern peoples and in modifying their methods of dealing with us, the greatest war in all history will become inevitable."

Believes Most American Fair  
"Other nations, such as England, France and Holland, I have no doubt, fear the results that might come from American withdrawal from the Philippines, but in my opinion that action would not hasten by one day the revolutionary movements in China or elsewhere."

The day that China or India develop a sufficient feeling of nationalism they will throw the foreign yoke. The development that will bring this about can come only within these nations themselves. In the education of their peoples to the point where they will achieve the unity of purpose that is the first requisite of effective action.

"The eastern peoples ultimately will throw off the western yoke, I have no doubt; that is, unless some western nation sets an example of withdrawal from forced occupation of eastern territory, which the other nations will be compelled to follow. The one nation that is in a position to set this example is the United States, by carrying out its oft-promised promise of Philippine independence."

"The great majority of Americans, I am convinced, are not imperialist-minded. If the Philippine question was presented to the American people as a straight issue of imperialism, either political or economic, I am certain that they would vote us independence by an overwhelming majority. But the issue never has been presented in an unbiased manner."

### Necessary to Change Argument

"For many years, until the solidarity of the Filipino people in favor of independence was demonstrated beyond the possibility of doubt, it was contended that the great majority of our people did not want their liberty. It has been in the past, and will be in the future, that we are prepared for self-government. At first this was based on an alleged lack of educational qualification and now, since it has been admitted that the Philippines are in larger part free people than a majority of the self-governing nations of the world, they say we are 'economically unprepared,' whatever that may mean."

### WINTER FLU-PNEUMONIA DUE TO BAD LIVING HABITS

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MR. D. B. PLUNKETT  
Who was the choice of the local organization for the current year. Mr. Plunkett is an ardent worker in the interests of the Liberal-Conservative cause. He was elected President of the new executive on Wednesday evening last, and will be in charge of the Provincial convention which will open in the interior city next Tuesday week.

pendence permanently or for a long period of years?" I asked.  
"The people here would be terribly disappointed and depressed. They also would be surprised. I do not think there would be any uprising, there never has been any serious suggestion of armed rebellion, and such a thing is unlikely, but the Philippine question would not be settled, the sentiment of the people in favor of independence would not diminish."  
"Our people always have had a supreme confidence in the fairness of the American people. They have not lost this confidence today, and it would take a long time to fully destroy it. If it were destroyed the result inevitably would be to add us to the other embittered peoples of Eastern Asia."

### Obituary

POTTINGER.—The funeral of the late Anna Clare Pottinger took place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon at 3:15, proceeding to St. John's Church, where service was held at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick officiating. The hymns sung were, "Lead Me Home," and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." A large number of friends were present, and many beautiful floral offerings covered the casket and hearse. Members from the Army and Navy Veterans acted as pallbearers. Messrs. C. Pottinger, J. B. Jamieson, B. E. Sterling and J. M. Newcombe. The body was taken to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

ROWLINSON.—The funeral of the late Miss Hazel Winnifred Victoria Rowlinson took place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Canon Hinchliffe officiating. The hymns sung were, "Lead Me Home," and "On the Resurrection Morn." Many friends attended, and a large number of beautiful floral tributes covered the casket and hearse. Members from the Army and Navy Veterans acted as pallbearers. Messrs. C. Pottinger, J. B. Jamieson, B. E. Sterling and J. M. Newcombe. The body was taken to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

CATERMOLE.—Three passed away at an early hour yesterday morning at the family residence, 511 Macaulay Street, Montague Richard Catermole, aged fifty-nine years, a native of Canterbury, England, and a resident of this city for sixteen years. He leaves his widow, two sons and one daughter. The late Mr. Catermole was a painter and decorator for many years. The remains are resting at the Thompson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, pending funeral arrangements, which will be announced later.

HARRISON.—The death occurred on Saturday, at the residence, 1440 Avenue, Hannah, of Michael Harrison, beloved wife of Mr. Frederick Harrison. She had been a resident of Victoria for the past fifty years, and was born in Manchester, England. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, and three sons, all of this city. The funeral will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the Rev. A. L. Nixon will conduct the service. Interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

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### **Weddings**

#### **Bourke-Hughes**

At Bredaburn, on Friday evening a quiet wedding took place in the presence of a few friends, when the Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Mr. Francis Vernon Bourke and Miss Anna Eleonora Hughes, both of Victoria. The bride, who was unaccompanied, was given in marriage by Mr. William Christoph, who was handsome in a gown of dark blue satin and hat to match.

On returning from a honeymoon up the Island, Mr. and Mrs. Bourke will reside in this city.

**Oddfellows to Meet**—The regular meeting of Victoria Lodge No. 1, I.O.O.F., will be held on Monday evening, November 15, at 8 p.m. The business of importance will come before its members. The Degree team will confer the First Degree on three candidates and the Second Degree on one. The guests are invited to attend. The guests are invited to attend.

## **City and District**

**Ward One Liberals to Meet**—The annual general meeting and election of officers of Ward One Liberals will be held in the Liberal rooms, Esquimalt Road, tomorrow night, commencing at 8 o'clock.

**Liberal Card Party**—The Esquimalt Liberal Association will hold a card party at the Liberal rooms, Esquimalt Road, tomorrow night, commencing at 8 o'clock.

**Rabbit Breeders' Meeting**—The meeting of the B.C.P.R.B. Association, arranged for Tuesday, November 16, has been postponed until further notice.

**Canadian Legion**—The semi-monthly general meeting of the Pro Patria Branch (formerly the Canadian Legion Branch) will take place on Wednesday at their club rooms on Courtney Street.

**To Visit Dramatic School**—Mrs. Matheson Lang has kindly promised to visit the B.C. Dramatic School on Friday, November 19, at 4:30 p.m., when she will speak on "Drama and the Allied Arts."

**Radio Bazaar**—The organizations of St. John's Church will hold a novel bazaar on Thursday at the corner of Pandora Avenue and Douglas Street. Afternoon tea and refreshments will be served. The proceeds will be in aid of the Parish Hall fund.

**Life Underwriters to Meet**—There will be a meeting of the Victoria Life Underwriters' Association at Spencer's dining-room on Tuesday, Nov. 16, at 12:15 p.m. A programme of interest to all life underwriters has been prepared.

**Late Strawberry**—Mr. Edward H. Lively, of the "Cliffe," South Saanich, brought into The Colonist yesterday what is believed to be the latest outdoor strawberry of the year. Mr. Lively was one of the first to have strawberries ripe for delivery last season.

**Establishing Missionary Alliance**—Mr. C. J. Stone, of the Christian Missionary Alliance, will be in the city tomorrow, and a meeting is being organized to take place in the Reformed Episcopal Church schoolroom at 7:30 p.m. After a short prayer service, Mr. Stone will speak, and will give an outline of the carrying on of the work of the Alliance in Victoria.

**Eagles' Social Evening**—The social evening held by the "Eagles" local organization in honor of C. H. Wagner, of Anacortes, state president of the Eagles International, was a great success. Mr. Wagner expressed his approval of the new hall that will be soon erected in this city, and was pleased with the growth of the local avary. This growth has been very steady and has a promising future.

**Seta Date for Hearing**—Wednesday was set as the date for the hearing of the charges arising out of the raid that was recently made by the city police upon what is alleged to be a Chinese gambling place on Piquet Street. The alleged keeper is charged with conducting a gambling place and sixteen others taken in two raids are charged with being found there.

**To Discuss Taxation**—The conference between the directors of the

Chamber of Commerce and Mr. C. H. Peterson, of the Taxation Department of the Province, will take place at 4:30 p.m. on Monday afternoon in the office of the Chamber. This conference is being held at the instance of Mr. Peterson, who is anxious to explain the changes that have been made in the proposed turnover taxation system.

**Lecture on "Earthquakes"**—The recent earthquake shocks in Armenia and also in California have called the attention of the public to these seismic disturbances, and Mr. F. Napier Denison, superintendent of the Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Hill, will lecture in the St. Barnabas Church Hall, corner of Cook and California, on "Earthquakes," on Tuesday next at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Guild of St. Barnabas.

**Prayer Service**—The usual prayer service and Bible class conducted by Mr. E. E. Richards will be held in the King's Hall, Yates Street, today at 3 p.m. The class offers a favorable opportunity to Bible lovers to get a deeper insight into the Holy Scriptures. The method used is to take the various questions and subjects as they occur in the Bible and trace them through the Old and New Testament. The subject for this afternoon will be "Ezekiel in Prophecy and History."

**Illustrated Lecture**—After the evening service today at St. Ann's Chapel the Rev. Father Cyril E. Evans, M.A., will give an illustrated lecture on the Mass, in the auditorium of St. Ann's Academy. All interested persons are invited to attend. The symbolism of the Mass, and the vestments worn in the Mass, in connection with its celebration will be clearly depicted and fully explained by Father Evans, who is a fluent and convincing speaker.

**Receives Portrait**—In recognition of his hospitality in entertaining the members of the Southwestern Washington Hoteliers' Association at his beautiful country home, "Minikhada," near Sidney, Mr. Stephen Jones has received a beautiful colored photograph of the setting of "Minikhada." The hoteliers were so impressed with the beauty of the place that they wrote asking Mr. Jones to accept the picture as a small token of appreciation.

**Local Council of Women**—A meeting will be held tomorrow at 2:30 p.m., room 508, Union Building. Mrs. J. D. Gordon, who has interviewed the five candidates for the trustee board, will report their attitude regarding a home economics course at the High School. Captain Ian St. Clair will give an address on "Fair Play." Affiliated societies are asked to consider any important resolutions for the annual meeting and send them in to the Council as soon as possible.

**Lumbermen's Educational Class**—A meeting of this class will be held tomorrow evening at the High School at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Herbert Fryer, engineer, of Seattle, will give a talk on the "History of Lumber." To all those who are in any way connected with kiln-drying of lumber or in its subsequent manufacturing will find Mr. Fryer's talk both interesting and instructive. Mr. A. B. Beattie, a grading inspector of the B.C. Lumber & Shingle Manufacturing Association, whose headquarters are in Vancouver, will also be present.

**Knights to Receive Charter**—On Monday evening at 7 o'clock the charter reception of the Loyal Knights of the Round Table will be held. General Odium will present the charter to the Table and will also address the club. Mr. Vivian M. Carkeek, of Seattle, who is a Welshman, and knows a good deal of the history of the original Round Table, is to speak on the subject of the "Traditions of the Round Table." In reply to a toast to the international to be proposed by Rev. W. A. Guy, Mr. Raymond will propose the toast to the guests, and there will be a special ceremony of reception into knight-hood in the case of the president.

**Home Economics Committee**—The next meeting of the committee of the Local Council of Women having in hand the endowment of a chair of Economics in the University of British Columbia will be held at the home of Miss Crease on Thursday, December 2, at 8 p.m. The committee is pleased to have received the additional endowment of the Emmanuel Baptist Ladies' Aid; the Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Auxiliary, and the Victoria and Island branch of the Canadian Automobile Association, while the Rockland Park W.C.T.U., Victoria Graduate Nurses' Association, and the First United Church have all asked for speakers to address them at an early date on the subject of Home Economics.

**Grand Officers—Victoria Council No. 434, United Commercial Travelers of America**, held the monthly luncheon at Spencer's on Friday. Senior Counsellor Marshall acted as chairman and a large attendance of traveling men listened to a very interesting discourse on the inner workings of the company by Mr. N. Napier Denison, and a hearty round of applause greeted the speaker on the completion of his talk and kind invitation to visit the observatory. The chairman called the attention of the members that on next Saturday evening was the monthly meeting of the council and that they were to be honored by a visit from Grand Counsellor J. H. Bell, of Tacoma, and other grand counsellor officers. All members keep this date in mind and attend the meeting to give the grand officers a fitting reception.

**Students Visit Textile Works**—Home economics classes from the North Island School were given a very interesting experience last week when they visited, through the kindness of the management, the Victoria Textile Company's shop at 2008 Government Street, where two returned soldiers, Messrs. McLean and Eldridge, are carrying on business. The girls were gladly welcomed to the shop, and more pupils who visited their establishment during the week, showing the greatest patience in explaining the questions put to them by the girls, and demonstrated the use of the various machines. The pupils found a special thrill in being allowed to card, spin and weave wool under the direction of their hosts, who also let their visitors try their skill with the knitting machine. Rug, bage, scarves and socks made by the firm were much admired.

## **Communist Russia Has Huge Total on Unemployed List**

MOSCOW, Nov. 12.—There are 1,182,500 unemployed members of the Soviet trade unions, President Tomsk of the Red Trade Union International announced today. "In spite of considerable development in industrial and other branches of national economy," he said, "unemployment during the last year increased by nineteen per cent."

These figures do not include those outside the trade unions who lack work and who are said to be much more numerous than the idle union workers.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Royal Astronomical Society**. Under the auspices of this Society a meeting will be held on Tuesday the 16th inst. at 8 p.m., in the College Building, Craigdarroch. The speaker of the evening will be Professor Buchanan, of the U. B. C., and his subject will be, "The Rejuvenation of the Stars." This is a very interesting and popular subject, and a cordial invitation is extended to the public. Admission free.

**November Seventeenth—Cabaret Dance**, Sons of Canada Hall, View Street. Tickets 50¢ each, are now obtainable from any member of the Native Sons of Canada or Canadian Daughters League.

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His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nichol, the Premier and the Mayor will act as patrons of the ball.

The Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., whose aim is to keep green the cherished memories of the historic past is therefore planning the final details of its annual birthday ball to be held at the Empress Hotel on Friday evening.

A floor committee of Native Sons of British Columbia will be in charge of the ballroom, and Ozard's orchestra has been engaged. Mrs. S. H. Walker is convener of the ball and mah jong tables to be placed in the private dining-room, and prizes have been given for the fortunate winners. Miss Helen Starr will give musical selection during the evening. Coffee and sandwiches will be obtainable in the palm room, and tickets for the dance may be procured from the Empress Hotel, Currie's Antique Shop, and Fletcher Brothers' Music Store.

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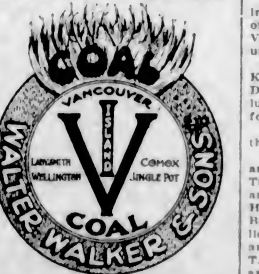
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### Train Strikes Car

WOODBURN, Ore., Nov. 13.—C. P.  
Clement, forty, of Rialler Rummell, and  
W. D. Wilson, thirty-eight, of this city,  
were killed instantly at a grade cross-  
ing just north of Woodburn when the  
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Personal Christmas Cards include  
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Visit their store, View Street, and see  
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## Birthday of B.C. Ball

Under distinguished patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor,  
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the Mayor and many others.

**Friday, Nov. 19, Empress Hotel**  
Dancing 9 P.M. Tickets \$1.00

OZARD'S ORCHESTRA

### Hunter Shot at Sumas Dies in Huntingdon

HUNTINGDON, B.C., Nov. 12.—Ed-  
ward Coulter, twenty-two, died in  
hospital here today, the first victim

of a hunting accident reported in the  
Sumas prairie district this season. He  
was found near here by his brother  
a few days ago lying on the ground  
with a bullet which had entered his  
jaw, lodged near his brain.









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In a beautiful "SHELL" FRAME with the best TORIC LENSES, including OUR EYE EXAMINATION, all for \$5.00; if you bring this ad with you. Yes, that's what we will do FOR ONE MORE WEEK. Now is your chance to take care of your eyes and health for a little money. Hundreds have taken advantage of our offer. Why not you?

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#### Local Kennels Gains Fine Addition in "Coila of Avandale"

Dog lovers on Vancouver Island will welcome the report of the purchase of "Coila of Avandale" by Mr. Clark

**Piles**  
For Half a Century  
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Dennis, proprietor of the Pine Hill Kennels, Holland Avenue.

Mr. Dennis is well known in local dogdom and in the past has gained considerable success with his pointer dogs. In bringing "Coila of Avandale" to this city the purchaser feels that he has accomplished something that has been missing from local dog circles, an ideal dual purpose dog.

"Coila of Avandale" was bred to "Pilot of Avandale," said to be the only dual champion pointer. Flint was imported by Mr. Chevier, owner of the Avandale Kennels in Winnipeg, from the kennels of the Duke of Hamilton, being the last of the great winners of this kennel secured by Mr. Chevier. The price paid for Flint was the highest price paid for any spaniel.

#### Anniversary Dance

Arrangements have been made for the thirty-third anniversary dance of the United Service Lodge, No. 24, to be held in the Alexandra ballroom on Tuesday evening. Dancing will continue from 9 till 1 o'clock and Ozard's orchestra has been engaged for the evening. Tickets have been selling well and it is expected that there will be a large attendance.

## Women's Clubs and Societies

### Prudence Says So

Minced Veal and Macaroni, Kidney Pudding, Pickled Herring and a Delicious Lemon Pudding Make Up Today's Assortment of Recipes

**Minced Veal and Macaroni**  
Three-quarters of a pound of cold roast veal, three ounces of ham, one tablespoon of gravy, salt and pepper to taste, a quarter of a teaspoon of grated nutmeg, a quarter of a pound of breadcrumbs, a quarter of a pound of macaroni, one or two eggs and a small piece of butter. Mince the veal finely with the ham, add gravy and flavorings, then the breadcrumbs; lastly, the well-beaten eggs, which bind the mixture and make it like forcemeat. After boiling the macaroni in well-salted water, butter and line a mould with the macaroni, then fill the mould with minced veal. Cover with a plate and steam for half an hour. Turn out on a platter, pour around, but not over, some rich brown gravy.

**Quick Coffee Cake**  
Mix two cups of flour, four teaspoons of baking powder, a quarter of a teaspoon of salt, three tablespoons of shortening and one cup of milk. Beat thoroughly. Add a quarter of a cup of raisins. Spread in a greased tin and sprinkle a mixture of one tablespoon of cinnamon and two tablespoons of sugar over the top. Bake in a moderate oven.

**Lemon Pudding**  
Cream together one cup of sugar, one tablespoon of butter and add beaten yolks of two eggs. Then add the juice and rind of one lemon, one cup of milk and two tablespoons of flour. Lastly add the beaten whites of the eggs. Pour into a buttered baking dish, set in a pan of water and bake for twenty or thirty minutes.

**Pickled Herring**  
Put the herrings in a dish that has a tight-fitting cover, after they have been cleaned and boned. Cover with vinegar and add three bay leaves, a teaspoonful of whole pepper, six cloves and salt to taste. Cover tightly and bake for one hour in a slow oven. Leave in the vinegar until the next day and serve cold.

**Boiled Chocolate Fudge**  
Two cups of white sugar, three tablespoons of milk, three tablespoons water, two squares of Baker's chocolate. Boil together stirring often. When it will form a soft ball in water add one teaspoon of butter. Spread on cakes.

**Exotic Toffee**  
Those who enjoy making home-made sweets will find this toffee very

easy and most delicious. One pound of brown sugar, three-quarters of a pound of butter, half a pound of golden syrup, one tin of Borden's Brand milk. Stir all together and boil for about twenty minutes. Pour onto buttered plates.

**Kidney Dumpling**  
This is a very delicious dish. Cut Spanish onion in half. Take out the heart and substitute and sheep kidney; cut into four, season with salt and pepper, join the two halves and enclose in a paste, bake (do not boil) in a buttered tin, in a moderate oven for about an hour.

### Women's Clubs And Societies

**Metropolitan Ladies' Aid**  
The Metropolitan Ladies' Aid held its annual sale of work and bazaar yesterday morning and afternoon in the two stores on the corner of Douglas Street and Pandora Avenue. At 9 o'clock Mayor Penney, in a few well-chosen words and wishing the ladies all success, declared the sale open.

The miscellaneous stalls were in charge of the following: Circle No. 1, Mrs. Haire, assisted by Mrs. Stewart Smith, Mrs. J. L. Armon and Miss Ada Garbutt; Circle No. 2, Mrs. S. Johnson, assisted by Mrs. J. A. Scott, Mrs. George Harris, Mrs. A. Jones and Mrs. Walker; Circle No. 3, Mrs. C. W. Plumb, assisted by Mrs. Cushman, Mrs. Ben Lewis and Mrs. W. H. Gee; Circle No. 4, Mrs. L. H. Bensen, assisted by Mrs. W. T. Howard, Mrs. Leatham, Mrs. McGibbon and Mrs. Frank Willis. Mrs. W. H. Ozard was in charge of the tea-room and was assisted by Mrs. Nancarrow, Mrs. Caddell, Mrs. H. V. Jones and Mrs. S. Holcombe. Dainty home-made refreshments were sold by Mrs. E. E. Wescott, assisted by Mrs. A. McKeown, Mrs. W. H. Whitley and Mrs. C. E. Somley. Home-made candles were in charge of Mrs. J. H. Biddall and Miss Agnes Spencer. Much amusement was afforded by the candle lighting contest, which was in charge of Mrs. George Reid, The Young Ladies' Auxiliary to the W.M.S., under the direction of the president, Miss Mary Lewis, sold novelty Christmas gifts. The children were very interesting in the spinning Jenny, in charge of Mrs. R. E. Redman and Mrs. C. H. Williams. Mrs. E. O. Weston, president of the Ladies' Aid, wished to thank all the who in any way helped to make the bazaar such a financial success.

**Victoria Review No. 1**  
Victoria Review No. 1, W.E.A., met in the K. of C. Hall, Government Street, last Tuesday, with Commander Blund in the chair. Today the Review No. 11 attended as visitors. The Review also had the pleasure of a visit from Supreme Dictator, Mrs. Laura Baker, of San Francisco, who gave an interesting talk on matters connected with the Women's Beneficial Association. A bazaar is to be held by the Review in the K. of C. Hall on November 23. Members are requested to take their parcels to the hall on the morning of that date. The next meeting will take place on November 23 in the K. of C. Hall. Afterwards a dance will be held and Zala's orchestra will be in attendance and refreshments will be served.

**Annual Silver Tea**  
The Victoria Branch of the Ladies' Guild for Sailors will hold the annual silver tea on Thursday from 3 to 4 p.m., celebrating the birthday of the Comaught Seamen's Institute, Superior Street, and also for the reception of gifts for the Christmas boxes which will be on display. This birthday tea and shower has become an annual event of great interest to many, and it is expected that even a larger number than usual will be present on Thursday. A musical programme has been arranged and there will be a short address. All visitors to Victoria who are interested in the welfare of sailors are cordially invited to attend.

**Marguerite Chapter Dance**  
The members of the Marguerite Chapter, I.O.D.E., have arranged a dance at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club on Friday, December 3, for which the services of Hunt's orchestra have been secured, and every effort is being made to ensure the enjoyment of the guests. Admission is by invitation only, and those desiring invitations should communicate with the Regent, Mrs. David Miller; secretary, Miss Margaret McVittie, or any of the following members of the dance committee, Mrs. Clifford Adams, Miss Mary Campbell, Miss Mona Miller, Miss Marjorie Ogan, Miss Nora McEachern and the Misses Helen and Betty Streetfield.

**Annual Bazaar Held**  
The White Rose Club of the Daughters of the Nile held its annual bazaar yesterday afternoon in the store next to the premises of the Sylvester Feed Company, Yates Street. The sale was most successful and the stalls were as follows: Fancy work, Mrs. Walter Luney, novelty stall, Miss Eleanor Luney; candy stall, Mrs. D. Nicol; plain sewing Mrs. Humphries; baby stall, Mrs. Nellie Brown; home cooking, Mrs. J. Cobley; flower stall, Miss O'Neill; bran dip, Mrs. Jesse Meles. Afternoon tea was served under the direction of Mrs. H. Brown. Mrs. W. Handley, Queen of Miriam Temple, was general convener.

**Prize Winners**  
The great sum of \$450 was cleared at the bazaar held yesterday by the Metropolitan Ladies' Aid. The prize winners were: Candy contest, won by Mrs. E. O. Weston; candle contest, Miss Mae Lewis, who lit twenty-nine candles with one match. The cake weighed 1 lb. 14 1/2 ozs., and was won by Mrs. E. O. Weston, who

measured the nearest weight, her guess being 1 lb. 15 ozs. Peas in bottle numbered 1,149, and the correct number were guessed by Mr. H. Dyer and Mr. Riddle. Circle No. 3 was assisted by Mrs. A. Read, Mrs. Coxworth and Mrs. Sablton; Mrs. Curry helped Circle No. 4, and Mrs. Barnett helped at Circle No. 1.

**To Hold Bazaar**  
On Wednesday, a bazaar will be held at the church house, St. Paul's Garrison Church, Esquimalt. Many attractions are offered, and there will be a collection of dainty needlework, toys, decorated trays and other novelties which have been prepared. Tea will be served and a musical programme is promised. The receipts will be devoted to the rectory building fund.

**Victoria Catholic**  
The November meeting of the Victoria Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League will be held on Wednesday in the library of the Bishop's Palace at 8 o'clock sharp. A full attendance is earnestly requested as important arrangements in connection with the two days' bazaar to be held in the Elita Hotel on December 3 and 4, will be fully discussed.

**Columbia W. A.**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Columbian Board of Columbia W. A. will be held on Friday, November 19, at St. Saviour's Parish Hall, Victoria West, commencing at 11 a.m. Canon Stocken will give the noon hour address. Afternoon session will be held at 2 o'clock.

**Women's Liberal-Conservative Club**  
The semi-monthly meeting of the Women's Liberal-Conservative Club will be held tomorrow at 8 o'clock in the club rooms, Campbell Building. After the business session, Mr. Plunkett will address the ladies.

**Silver Tea**  
Mrs. P. J. Hall, 2525 Cranmore Road, regent of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., is kindly lending her home on Friday afternoon for a silver tea of the chapter funds for Christmas cheer for the T.B. Ward at the Jubilee Hospital.

**Health Centre Meeting**  
The W.A. to the Stanich War Memorial Health Centre will hold its monthly welfare meeting at the Health Centre, Glenford Avenue, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

**To Hold Bazaar**  
The Girls' Auxiliary to St. Barnabas' Church will hold its annual bazaar tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the church, corner of Cook and Caledonia Streets.

**Rummage Sale**  
A rummage sale will be held under the auspices of the Robert Burns Memorial Chapter of the I.O.D.E., at 1815 Douglas Street next Saturday afternoon, commencing at 2:30 o'clock.

**Esquimalt Catholic League**  
The Esquimalt Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League will hold a card party and social on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. Lapointe, 618 Craigflower Road.

**Ministering Chapter, I.O.D.E.**  
The regular monthly meeting of Bishop Crilge Ministering Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held at the home of Mrs. L. H. Solly, 516 Rupert Street, on Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

**Esquimalt Sailors' Guild**  
The regular meeting of the Esquimalt branch of the Ladies' Guild will be held on Monday at 7:30 o'clock in the Sailors' Club, Admirals Road.

**Oak Bay Catholic League**  
The Oak Bay subdivision of the Catholic Women's League will meet tomorrow at 3 o'clock at the "Globe House."

**Ready-to-Help Circle**  
The Ready-to-Help Circle of the King's Daughters will meet tomorrow at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. (Drs. Russell), 2642 Fernwood Road.

**To Hold Concert**  
The C.G.I.T. Group of the Esquimalt United Church will hold a concert in the schoolroom on Friday at 8 p.m.

An actor posted the manager of a theatre for a letter of recommendation, and the manager gave him one to another manager. The communication read: "The bearer of this letter plays Macbeth, Hamlet, Rhylock and billiards. He plays billiards best."

## Join in the Fun at the Swimmers' Frolic and Dance

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**Tuesday Night  
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Genuine Reductions

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## Special Purchase SALE of FUR COATS

Special purchases have resulted in this extraordinary sale. And it is extraordinary from every standpoint—fashion, economy, quality. Our advice is to make your selection now, before the Christmas rush.

### Poney Coats

The poney coats we are now making are not the coats of former days, but an entirely new type. We are showing not only the black poney, but also many new shades which make exceedingly attractive coats. Let us make you a poney coat in our factory.

We will have on display in our windows for this week a variety of muskrat coats, beautifully blended in the new sable shade, something that has not been shown in Victoria as yet. The regular price is \$265, and for our sale has been reduced to... **\$225**

We are also showing a variety of skins such as poney, in the new rosewood shade, brown American broadtail and grey.

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MADAME! The time to buy that New Hat at a worthwhile saving price is now.

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### Drug Savings for the First Day of the Sale

**Flukham's Vegetable Compound**  
\$1.25 value

Sugar of Milk, 1 lb. 49¢  
Andrew's Liver Salts, large size, 25¢  
Seidlitz Powders, 25¢ value, 25¢  
Phillips' Milk of Magnesia, 60¢ size for 50¢  
Pear's Shaving Soaps, 35¢  
Mennen's Shaving Cream and Shave Pencil, 45¢ value, 37¢  
Scott's Emulsion, \$1.30 size, \$1.08  
Nail Extract, in bulk, 1 lb. 25¢  
3 lbs. 64¢

(Container Extra)  
Woodbury's Facial Soap, box of three cakes, 75¢ value, 69¢  
Palmolive Shampoo, 50¢ value, 39¢  
Cushion-Back Hair Brushes, special at \$1.37  
Hydrogen Peroxide, full strength, 10¢ value for 10¢  
Sanabell Face Powder, including the Velour Puff, \$1.50 value, \$1.17

Fliver's Perfume, fancy glass stoppered bottles, Special, each, 65¢

Perfume Sprayers, guaranteed; bulbs replaceable without charge any time if necessary. Each 99¢  
Plaza Tooth Paste, 35¢ value, 27¢  
Sterilized Tooth Brushes, 35¢ value for 27¢  
Additional items on display at reduced prices on our counters and tables.

—Drugs, Main Floor, H.B.C.

### Sale Offerings in Grocery and Allied Departments

Five Roses, Royal Household and Purify Flour, one day selling—  
24 lb. sack ..... \$1.33  
40 lb. sack ..... \$2.53  
98 lb. sack ..... \$4.97  
Pacific Brand Evaporated Milk, 4 tins for 44¢  
Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 tins for 29¢  
Lux, per package ..... 29¢  
Gold Dust, large package ..... 29¢  
Fairy Toilet Soap, 4 cakes for 25¢

#### Malt and Hops Special

1 Large Tin Peerless Malt, 1 Package  
Cox's Gelatine, 3 lbs. Brown Sugar  
—All for 99¢

Clark's New Season's Tomato Ketchup, large bottle ..... 10¢  
Campbell's or Heinz New Season's Pack Tomato Soup, 3 tins for 35¢  
Snowflake Pastry Flour, 10 lb. sack for 52¢  
Fancy Quality Cleaned Australian Currants ..... 2 lbs. for 25¢

#### Provision Department

H. B. C. "Seal of Quality" Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... 42¢  
3 lbs. for ..... \$1.23  
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. ..... 12¢  
2 lbs. for ..... 61¢  
Selected Quality Side Breakfast Bacon, by the side or half side, per lb. ..... 44¢  
Swift's Premium Hams, half or whole, per lb. ..... 45¢  
Domestic Shortening, per pk. 20¢

#### Fruit and Vegetables

Extra Fancy Okanagan Jonathan Apples, first-class pack in prime condition. Special, per box ..... \$2.18  
Finest Local Cooking Apples, in standard boxes. Special, per box ..... 94¢  
Choice California Red Emperor Grapes, special ..... 2 lbs. for 25¢  
New California Grapefruit, round size, 4 for ..... 25¢  
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

### 6,000 Pounds of Fresh Meats at Sale Prices

500 lbs. Choice Round Steak, lb. 15¢  
500 lbs. Choice Mutton Chops, per lb. 25¢  
200 lbs. Sirloin Steak, per lb. 25¢  
300 lbs. Shoulder Steak, per lb. 15¢  
800 lbs. Pot Roasts, per lb. 14¢  
1,000 lbs. Choice Plate Beef, lb. 14¢  
400 lbs. Rump Roasts, per lb. 15¢  
500 lbs. Shoulder Roasts (Baby Beef), per lb. 15¢  
200 lbs. Breasts and Necks of Veal, per lb. 15¢  
300 lbs. Loin Lamb Chops, lb. 40¢  
500 lbs. Loin Pork Chops, per lb. 35¢  
200 lbs. Loin and Rib Veal Chops, per lb. 25¢  
600 lbs. Shoulders of Lamb (whole or half), per lb. 25¢  
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

### Bargains for Smokers

75 lbs. of Houd's No. 1 Pipe Tobacco, including a pipe with each pound of tobacco. Special ..... 95¢  
50 boxes of La Rosa Habana Cigars, 25's. Regular \$1.35 per box, for \$1.10  
200 Cigarette Holders, amber color. Each finished with the same care and accuracy of holder three times the price. Each, special ..... 29¢  
63 Briar Pipes, good knockabout pipes, at 3 for ..... 99¢  
24 Tobacco Pouches, fold-over, wallet shape, \$1.25 value ..... 99¢  
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

## Save Now on Rugs and Linoleums

You can buy Rugs on our deferred payment plan if desired. Make selection now and benefit by the savings offered.



**Worsted Wilton Rugs Reduced**  
Fine Quality Wilton Rugs in beautiful designs, excellent wearing and wonderful values at these prices.  
Size 4 1/2 by 6. Sale Price ..... \$16.50  
Size 4 1/2 by 7 1/2. Sale Price ..... \$22.50  
Size 6 1/2 by 9. Sale Price ..... \$37.50  
Size 9 by 9. Sale Price ..... \$52.50  
Size 9 by 10 1/2. Sale Price ..... \$57.50  
Size 9 by 12. Sale Price ..... \$67.50

**Plain Centre Wilton Rugs**  
High-Grade Rugs in soft range shade, with self-hand borders; two sizes only.  
Size 9 by 10 1/2. Regular \$79.50, for ..... \$49.00  
Size 9 by 12. Regular \$89.50, for ..... \$59.00

**French Wilton and Sarouk Rugs**  
Finest French Wiltons and Sarouk Rugs for dining rooms and living-rooms. One of these will last for years; size 9 by 12. Regular \$135.00. Sale Price ..... \$108.50

**Sample Wilton Rugs to Clear**  
Factory samples to clear at one-third less than regular prices. High-grade rugs that will give satisfactory wear.  
Size 4 1/2 by 6. Sale ..... \$13.50  
Size 4 1/2 by 7 1/2. Sale ..... \$16.50  
Size 6 1/2 by 9. Sale Price, \$39.00  
Size 9 by 10 1/2. Sale ..... \$45.00

**Acminster Rugs**  
Deep Pile Acminsters in hit-and-miss patterns, with attractive borders; size 4 1/2 by 7 1/2. Sale Price ..... \$22.50  
Size 6 1/2 by 9. Sale ..... \$32.50

**Cocoa Matting Mats**  
Splendid wearing mats for outside doors and entrances; size 14 by 24. Sale Price ..... 49¢  
Size 16 by 27. Sale Price, 55¢  
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**Wilton Stair Carpet**  
27-Inch Wilton Stair Carpet, in tan ground with neat conventional designs; remarkably good wearing. Sale Price, per yard, for ..... \$5.85

**Heavy Printed Linoleum**  
The ideal floor covering for any room, easy to keep clean and splendid wearing; 6 feet wide. Sale Price, per square yard, 79¢

**Scotch Inlaid Linoleum**  
Straightline Inlaid Linoleum, in a wide selection of designs; will give years of satisfactory wear. Sale Price, per sq. yard, \$1.19  
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We were fortunate in securing just in time for this sale, another large shipment of this high-grade Aluminumware. There are hundreds of pieces in the offering, and about fifteen different articles, including—

5 1/2-Quart Potato Pots ..... 10-Inch Frypans ..... 10-Pound Round Roasters  
8-Quart Preserving Kettles ..... 4-Quart Convex Saucepans ..... 3 1/2-Quart Straight Saucepans  
2-Quart Coffee Percolators ..... 3 1/2-Quart Tea Kettles .....  
10-Quart Dishpans ..... 1, 1 1/2 and 2-Quart Pudding Pan Sets ..... 1, 1 1/2 and 2-Quart Lipped Saucepans  
14-Quart Dishpans ..... 2-Quart Double Boilers ..... —Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

### Big Bargains in the China Section

**China Cups and Saucers**  
25 dozen in light blue willow design, medium weight china. Regular \$2.00 a dozen. Sale Price, 6 for ..... 69¢

**Fine China Dinner Sets**  
In two dainty floral decorations; 97-Piece Dinner and Tea Sets, sufficient for twelve people. Regular \$29.75. Sale Price ..... \$22.50

**Johnson's English Semi-Porcelain Dinnerware**  
Alton pattern, a high-grade porcelain in bright colored border design and octagon-shaped dishes.  
97-Piece Sets, regular \$33.50, \$24.75  
52-Piece Sets, regular \$18.95, \$14.05

**English Semi-Porcelain Dinnerware**  
Myott & Sons' Grecian Pattern Dinnerware, in pale grey, blue and pink.  
97-Piece Sets, regular \$31.75, Sale Price ..... \$26.50  
52-Piece Sets, regular \$16.35, Sale Price ..... \$13.75

**Rockingham Teapots**  
Dark Brown Rockingham Teapots in the Derby shape, six-cup size. Regular 65¢. Sale Price ..... 49¢

### Silverware Reduced

**Silver-Plated Tea Sets**  
3-Piece Sets, plain globe shape; made in Sheffield, England. Sale Price ..... \$12.95

**Pie Plates**  
Heavily silver-plated frames, in attractive pierced design; fitted with 8-in. pyrex pie plate. Sale Price ..... \$3.95

**Serving Trays**  
Well made, unbreakable trays, glass lined, and with a selection of attractive scenic backgrounds. Size 13 x 19. Sale Price ..... \$1.95

### Stem Glassware at Half Price

**In the Popular Star Design**  
Cocktail Glasses, regular \$6.50 a dozen, for ..... \$3.25  
3-Piece Sets, plain globe shape; made in Sheffield, England. Sale Price ..... \$12.95  
Claret Glasses, regular \$6.50 a dozen, \$3.25  
Port Glasses, regular \$6.25 a dozen, \$3.15  
Finger Bowls, regular \$9.50 a dozen, \$4.50  
Ice Plates, regular \$9.00 a dozen, \$4.50  
Plain Custard Cups, regular \$3.75 a dozen, for ..... \$1.85  
Water Bottles, regular \$2.25, for ..... \$1.15  
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

## Exceptional Bargains in Draperies

**Cretonnes**  
31 and 36-inch Cretonnes, for drapes, loose covers and other purposes. Values to 39¢. Sale Price, per yard ..... 24¢

**Cretonne Table Covers**  
Small Size Table Covers in nice quality cretonnes, attractive designs; 36 inches square. Regular 85¢. Sale Price, 65¢

**New Cretonnes**  
Extra good quality in a wonderful selection of beautiful patterns. Values to 89¢. Sale Price, per yard ..... 59¢

**English Warp-Printed Shadow Cloth**  
Good Quality English Warp-Printed Shadow Cloth, in light and dark colors; 31 inches wide. Regular \$1.25. Sale Price, per yard ..... 79¢

**Hand-Blocked Cretonnes**  
Beautiful quality fabrics in exclusive designs; 50 inches wide. Regular \$2.30. Sale Price, per yard ..... \$1.19

**Scalloped Border Madras**  
Exceptionally Fine Quality Scotch Madras, in neat patterns, finished with neat scalloped border; 45 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard ..... 49¢

**Frill Scrim and Marquisette Curtains**  
Ruffle Curtains, complete with tie backs, shown in dainty scrim and marquisette; 2 1/2 yards long. Sale Price, pair, 89¢

**Tuscan Net Panels**  
Heavy Tuscan Net Panels, finished with fringed ends. Size 36 inches by 2 1/2 yards. Sale Price ..... 99¢  
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

## Christmas Needlework at Sale Prices

**Stamped Tea Cloths**  
500 only, 36-inch Tea Cloths of good quality needlework, in four effective and easy designs. Sale Price ..... 59¢

**White Rep Scarves**  
Stamped in easy designs for quick working. Size 18 x 45. Sale Price ..... 50¢

**Stamped Luncheon Sets**  
Of white needlework, stamped in three good designs for working; set consists of one 36-inch cloth and four 12-inch serviettes. Sale Price ..... 89¢

**Canadian Fingering**  
Four-ply wool, suitable for socks and children's stockings; a good range of heather mixture and plain shades to choose from; 200 pounds only. Sale Price, per lb. ..... \$1.29

**Stamped Hemstitched Pillow Cases**  
Of good quality tubular cotton, hemstitched for crochet edge and stamped for embroidery in good designs. Sale Price, per pair ..... \$1.50

**Tan Crash Cushion Cases**  
In effective designs, finished with fringed ends. Sale Price ..... 69¢

**A Group of Stamped Needlework**  
Including Scarves, Aprons, Cushions, etc. Sale Price ..... 59¢

**Stamped Tea Towels**  
Of striped linen towelling; simple outline designs. Sale Price ..... 39¢  
—Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

## A Wonderful Offering in Women's Smart Dress Footwear



450 Pairs of Colored Kid One-Strap Shoes, in the season's smartest novelty styles, with new heels. Choice of fawn, grey, mauve and brown kid. Also black satin, black kid and patent leather strap shoes. All sizes from 3 1/2 to 7 1/2. Widths B, C, D. Values to \$8.50. Sale Price, per pair ..... \$5.45

**Trapper Brand Boots for Boys**  
Sturdy school boots, built for service as well as comfort. Stout black kid leather with double leather soles; full school last. Solid leather, throughout.  
Sizes 11 to 13 1/2. Sale Price, per pair ..... \$2.69  
Sizes 1 to 5 1/2. Sale Price, per pair ..... \$3.39  
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

**Misses' and Children's Strap Slippers**  
Values to \$3.50 for \$1.89

Patent Leather Instep Strap Slippers, with stitched leather soles and rubber heels. Sizes 8 to 10 1/2 and 11 to 12. Sale Price, per pair, \$1.80

### Start Your Christmas Shopping Now

A great deal of the merchandise offered at bargain prices is suitable for Christmas giving.



# Department

## The Greatest Money-Saving Event of the Season

Just at the Time When Winter Requirements Are Most in Demand and the Cost of Its Thousands of Money-Saving Bargains in Seasonable and Dependable Merchandise Has Retarded the Sale of Many Winter Lines Which, Together With Numerous at Much Below Our Regular Low Prices. In This Advertisement We Can Hardly Throughout the Departments You Will Find Hundreds More

### For Christmas Giving

An opportune offering in Irish Embroidered Dolmies, Mats and Tray Cloths at Half Regular Prices.  
Regular 79¢ for ..... 49¢  
Regular \$1.50 for ..... 75¢  
Regular \$1.75 for ..... 88¢  
Regular \$1.95 for ..... 98¢  
Regular \$2.25 for ..... \$1.13  
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

### Women's Neckwear

**Windsor Ties**  
Made from good quality silk crepe de Chine in canary, sage, peach, orange, pearl, tan, sand, Copenhagen, black and white. Sale Price ..... 59¢

**Windsor Ties**  
In silk crepe de Chine, shown in polka dots of black and white and navy and white, also in conventional designs. Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50. Sale ..... 89¢

**Crepe de Chine Scarves**  
In floral and conventional designs, finished with hemmed borders; shown in Copenhagen, sage, yellow, sand, grey, rose, red, jade, pink and cadet, also in plain shades of red, tan, Copenhagen, pink, mauve, sage, grey, yellow, peach, rose and sand with self colored or contrasting hemstitched borders. Sale Price ..... \$1.25

**Crepe de Chine Scarves**  
In self colors of pink, peach, rose, sage, sand, Copenhagen, orange and gold, with hemstitched borders. Sale Price, each ..... \$1.08  
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

**Men's Khaki Trousers**  
These are ideal garments for wearing around the house or in the garden. Tailored from hard wearing khaki cloth, with cuffs, bottoms, belt loops; in sizes 30 to 44. Sale Price, per pair ..... \$1.39

**Men's Silk Bow Ties**  
Bow Ties are very popular now, buy yours now and save. A big assortment to choose from. Regular 50¢. Sale Price ..... 29¢

**Men's Neckwear**  
A special table of high-grade neckwear in floral and small designs, finished with wide ends. Value \$1.50. Sale Price ..... 49¢

**Men's Lawn Handkerchiefs**  
Full Size Lawn Handkerchiefs with hemstitched borders. Buy them by the dozen. Sale Price ..... 12 for 89¢

**Boys' Two Bloomer Suits Half Price and Less**  
English and Canadian-Made Suits, in colors of dark grey, dark brown, navy and assorted, heather and lovat shades. Have fancy pleated backs, three-piece backs and patch pockets. Sizes 26 to 36. Two pairs of Bloomers with each suit. Values to \$15.00. Sale Price ..... \$5.95

**200 Pairs Boys' Bloomers at 98¢ a Pair**  
Full Cut Bloomers in grey, brown and Donegal tweeds. Suitable for school wear; sizes 8 to 16 years. Regular \$1.95. Sale Price, per pair ..... 98¢  
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

### Dining-Room Suites

**8-Piece Solid Oak Suite**  
Solid Oak Suite in old English brown finish, consists of buffet, extension table and set of six chairs. Sale ..... \$95.00  
\$9.50 Cash, balance in nine monthly payments.

**8-Piece Solid Oak Suite**  
Solid oak construction with mirror back on buffet, oblong-extension table and set of six chairs with genuine leather slip seats. Sale Price, complete, \$95.50  
\$9.55 Cash, balance in nine monthly payments.

**100 Feather Pillows at \$3.25 Each**  
Fine Quality Feather Pillows, size 21 by 28, covered with heat quality art ticking. Values to \$5.00. Sale Price, each ..... \$3.25  
—4th Floor, H.B.C.

**Reading Glasses, Complete With H.B.C. Service, \$5.50**  
A special offering of Reading Glasses with steel frame and metal lining, with deep curved lenses, complete with examination. Sale Price ..... \$5.50  
—Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

## Winter Hats Greatly Reduced

**200 Felt Hats**  
Suitable styles for misses and matrons. Many colors to select from. Sale Price ..... \$1.98

**75 Trimmed Hats**  
A wonderful assortment to choose from, in colors and black. Sale Price ..... \$2.89

**50 Trimmed Hats**  
All styles, including new satin and metallic effects. Sale Price ..... \$4.89

**55 Velvet and Velour Hats**  
All high-grade hats in the newest styles. Values to \$12.50. Sale Price ..... \$5.89



### Girls' Hats

Velvet and Felt Hats, suitable for girls 5 to 15 years; 65 in this special offering. Sale Price ..... \$1.98

### Model Hats at 25% Off

All Fall model hats have been reduced 25% for this sale.  
\$12.50 Hats reduced to ..... \$9.35  
\$15.00 Hats reduced to ..... \$11.25  
\$16.50 Hats reduced to ..... \$12.50  
\$18.50 Hats reduced to ..... \$13.85  
\$20.00 Hats reduced to ..... \$15.00  
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

## 200 Women's English Pull-Overs

Values to \$5.95 for \$2.98

Wool or Rayon Pull-Over with narrow stripes in contrasting colors. Some have small roll collars finished with knitted tie; others with V neck and two patch pockets. Shown in rose and fawn, rust and sand, nigger and sand, royal and sand. Values to \$5.95. Sale Price ..... \$2.98

**Broadcloth Over-Blouses at \$1.98**  
Made from good quality broadcloth, with two-tone collar, long sleeves and buttoned cuffs. Neatly finished with rows of knife pleating and ribbon bows at neck; sizes 34 to 44. Sale Price ..... \$1.98

**Women's Warm Dressing Gowns**  
Special, \$4.89

Made from best quality Lawrence cloth with neat roll collar, sleeves and pocket trimmed with two-tone cord, silk cord girdle. Shown in mauve, sage, rose, brown, Copenhagen and wine with all-over pattern in contrasting color. Value \$6.50. Sale Price, \$4.89

**500 Women's Pure Wool Vests at 95¢ Each**  
Pure Wool Vests with built-up shoulders and short sleeves; sizes 36 to 42. Value \$1.50. Sale Price ..... 95¢

**House Dresses, Value to \$1.98 for \$1.29**  
Made from serviceable chambray trimmed with rickrack, broad or striped gingham. Shown in sage, green and tan; also crepe house dresses in all-over patterns. V neck and short sleeves finished with piping of plain crepe. Choose from tan, pink, green, orchid, cerise and blue. Values to \$1.98. Sale Price ..... \$1.29

**Women's Overall Aprons, 79¢**  
In strong quality chambray, round neck, short-sleeves and pocket finished with neat piping. Belt across back. Shown in mauve, tan and blue. Value \$1.00. Sale Price ..... 79¢

**500 Women's Combinations at 89¢ a Suit**  
Medium weight knit cotton, slightly fleeced, built-up shoulders, knee length, medium and large sizes. Value \$1.50. Sale Price, 89¢

**Oddment Table of Cotton and Silk Underwear**  
All Garments Greatly Reduced  
In this group you will find French gowns, camisoles, envelope chemises, step-ins, vests, slips, bloomers, etc. Regular prices 50¢ to \$7.95. Sale Prices ..... 39¢ to \$4.00

**Dimity Nightgowns, 98¢**  
Attractive garments in strong quality dimity, square neck and sleeves finished with lace edging. Shown in peach, pink, orchid and white. Values to \$1.50. Sale Price ..... 98¢

**Dainty Voile Nightgowns, \$1.59**  
Three lovely styles to choose from in soft quality voile. Slip-over with round, V or square necks, trimmed with fine lace edging and medallions. Shown in orchid, pink, peach, mauve and sky, also in pretty two-tone colors. Values to \$2.75. Sale, \$1.59  
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

## Bargains in Children's Wear

**Girls' Winter Coats, \$2.98**  
In good quality blanket cloth, double-breasted, grey flannel-ette lining. Shown in camel, green, blue and navy. Also English Teddy Bear Coats, in camel, green and blue; sizes 1 to 3 years. Values to \$4.50. Sale Price ..... \$2.98

**Children's Pantie Dresses, \$5.95 Value for \$4.98**  
Made from fine quality jersey cloth, straight style with kimono sleeves; neck finished with neat collar or binding in contrasting shade; two pockets, trimmed with medallions and fancy stitching. Choose from sand, grey, powder, rose and violet. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Value \$5.95. Sale Price ..... \$4.98

**Children's Pure Wool Bloomers**  
Fine quality wool, with elastic at waist and knee; navy only. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Values to \$1.50. Sale Price, pair, 98¢

**Children's Coat Sweaters at \$1.00**  
Pure Wool Sweaters, coat style, with turn-down collars; shown in white trimmed sky, sky trimmed white, camel trimmed white, white trimmed camel. Sizes 1 to 3 years. Value \$1.50. Sale Price ..... \$1.00  
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.



**Company**  
2nd MAY 1920.

**Shop During the Morning Hours**  
Extra special bargains have been prepared for those who shop between 9 and 12. See special column on this page.

# Managers' Sale

## on Starts Tomorrow Morning at Nine Sharp

Christmas Season Just Around the Corner. Comes This Store-Wide Sale, Bringing andise. The Mild State of the Weather at the Commencement of the Season pecial Purchases Secured for Cash Direct from Manufacturers, Are Now Offered begin to Tell About the Bargains That Have Been Prepared for Your Benefit. ust as Good and Just as Seasonable as the Ones Mentioned Here

### Now Is the Time to Buy a Fur Coat

You've dreamed of possessing a fur coat. Let that dream come true now. For this big sale we are offering some big values in fur coats and fur neck-pieces. Come in and see them.

**Seal Coney Coats for \$89.50**  
Some in tubular type for small figures, trimmed with collar cuffs of contrasting fur, nicely lined and finished; also style suitable for matrons in larger sizes, self-trimmed or with contrasting fur on collar and cuffs. Sale Price, **\$89.50**

**French Seal Coats**  
Good staple styles, attractively lined and finished. Sizes to suit figures 38 to 42 bust. Fine quality skins, collar and cuffs of skunk, squirrel, muskrat, brown fox or self trimming. Eight only, so we advise early selection. Regular \$150.00 to \$200.00. Sale Price **\$129.50**  
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

### Hosiery Bargains

**400 Pairs Pure Thread Silk Hose at 89c Pair**  
Pure Thread Silk Hose, with elastic ribbed tops and reinforced heels and toes. Seam at back of leg and neat fitting ankle. Shown in black, russet, sand, moth, pearl, sky, beige, cork and flesh. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Value \$1.50. Sale Price, per pair **\$89c**

**450 Pairs Full Fashioned Silk Hose at \$1.69 a Pair**  
Pure Thread Silk Hose, with little hemmed tops and reinforced heels and toes. Choose from sand, gold, oak dust, moonbeam, champagne, thundercloud, shell, sky, crash, new silver, grain, nut and black. These are slightly imperfect, but the imperfections are hardly noticeable. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Regular \$2.00. Sale Price, per pair **\$1.69**

**Women's Chiffon Silk Hose at \$1.89 Pair**  
Nice sheer quality. Have little hemmed tops and reinforced heels and toes. Choose from nude, crash, moonbeam, rose blonde, shell, grain, champagne and taupe; sizes 8 1/2 to 10; sub-standard; regular \$2.50. Sale Price, per pair **\$1.89**  
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

### Children's Hosiery at Savings

**Mercedized Little Hose**  
In wide rib effect, with fancy turn-down tops; shown in nutan only. Sizes 6 1/2 to 9 1/2. Sale Price, per pair **59c**

**Silk and Wool Hose**  
Wide ribbed hose with elastic tops, have reinforced heels and toes; choose from fawn and blue, tanbark and white, Air-dale and white, black and white. Sizes 6 to 9 1/2. Regular 79c and \$1.00. Sale Price, per pair **69c**  
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

### 750 Pairs of Women's Fabric Gloves at 69c Pair

Good fitting Fabric Gloves with novelty cuffs embroidered in various designs, self-stitched points. Sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Shown in mode, tan, sand, grey and black. Regular \$1.00. Sale Price, per pair **69c**

**Novelty Fabric Gloves**  
With fancy turn-back, silk embroidered cuffs, and one dome fastener. Shown in grey, beaver, mode, pastel and black. Sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Sale Price, per pair **59c**

**Chamois Suede Novelty Gloves**  
Pull-on style with novelty silk embroidered cuffs and silk embroidered points; shown in mode, pastel, grey and sand. Sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Regular \$1.50. Sale Price, per pair **\$1.25**  
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

### Royal Jubilee Hospital Linen Shower WEDNESDAY, NOV. 17

For the convenience of contributors a special basket has been placed in our Staple Section and all parcels deposited therein will be delivered to the hospital on Wednesday. Look for the many special sale offerings in Sheets, Pillow Cases and Towels, suitable as contributions.

## Plain and Fur-Trimmed Coats At Extraordinary Reductions

**Sports Coats, Values to \$16.95 for \$9.95**  
Smart Tailored Coats in fancy check and plain tweeds; straight style, with large patch pockets and side belts; crushable fur collars. Sale Price, **\$9.95**

**Sports Coats, Values to \$29.50 for \$15.95**  
Tailored Coats in plain tweeds and novelty check effects, full lined, with and without fur collars; double-breasted style with large pockets. Sizes 16 to 42. Sale Price, **\$15.95**

**Fur-Trimmed Coats, Values to \$35.00 for \$19.95**  
A collection of smart new styles in zebiline, velour and novelty check tweeds, trimmed with moulton, mandel, foxline and other furs. Shown in a variety of new colors. Sizes 16 to 44. Sale Price **\$19.95**

**Fur-Trimmed Coats, Values to \$59.50 for \$34.95**  
A varied assortment of better grade coats in needlepoint, suedine, duvetyne and other new fabrics. Straight line and blouse backs; wrappy and tailored armholes. Handsomely trimmed with rich furs and lined with silk crepe de Chine. All sizes; all new colors. Sale Price **\$34.95**  
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

## New Dance and Party Frocks

**For Misses and Small Women**  
This wonderful assortment of party and dance frocks includes smart taffeta and dainty georgettes in lovely shades of orchid, peach, rose, powder, pejunia, flame and two-tone effects. They have straight bodice and bouffant skirt, some scalloped at hem line. Trimmings include metal lace, flower bouquets, tinsel embroidery, stencil and applique work, silver ribbon, dainty lace insets, picot borders and contrasting materials. Slips of self or contrasting silk. Sizes 16 to 38. Sale Price, **\$12.95**

**Afternoon and Evening Frocks, Values to \$29.50 for \$17.95**  
The very latest styles in black, new colors, also black and flesh. They are shown with draped belts, straight bodice with pleated skirts, new coat effects and straight line and flared skirts. Made from fine quality satin crepe. Sizes 16 to 40. Sale Price **\$17.95**

**French Gowns for \$24.95**  
Georgette crepe, satin and other lovely fabrics are here represented in afternoon and evening gowns. Many French gowns included in exquisite styles, with flared and draped skirts, beaded and sequin trimmed and with touches of hand embroidery, fringe and other novelty effects. Black, pastel shades and vivid colors are shown, also many beautiful combinations. Sizes 16 to 42. Sale Price **\$24.95**

**Flannel Sports Frocks, Values to \$8.95 for \$4.95**  
A special purchase of Women's and Misses' Flannel Dresses; smart styles and long sleeves, necks trimmed with braid and buttons. Shown in sand, orange, rose, blue, navy; red and others; sizes 16 to 42. Sale Price **\$4.95**

**Silk Afternoon Frocks, Values to \$25.00 for \$12.95**  
A collection of Smart Afternoon or Semi-Evening Frocks, made from fine satin crepe, some combined with georgette; straightline or full skirts, long sleeves, some with fancy puff, some high to the neck, others with turn-over or scarf collars; daintily trimmed with pleating, piping, embroidery, silk and metal braid, vesice of contrasting color and other new effects; sizes 16 to 40. Sale Price **\$12.95**  
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

**One and Two-Piece Sports Frocks Values to \$29.50 for \$16.95**  
**Travellers' Samples**  
Made from all-wool flannel, balbriggan, rep, tweed and charmeen in attractive plaids, stripes, bright tones and combination colors. Many smart and becoming styles; sizes 16 to 38. Sale Price **\$16.95**

**Bandeau Brassieres**  
Broken lines and discontinued lines in Boyshform, Numode and Gossard Brassieres in Indian head, pink or white and pink batiste; back fastening, tape straps. Sizes 32 to 44. Value 95c. Sale Price **69c**  
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

## Clearing Lines in Corsets Values to \$8.75 for \$4.98

In this group of corsets we offer Gossard front lacing, Nemo and A La Grace, suitable for full, average and slender types, with low, medium and higher bust lines, varying length skirt, well boned. Also numbers of Treo Elastic Girdles, made of firm surgical webbing with coutil and broche fronts in 15-inch lengths. Not all sizes in any one style; 23 to 36. Values to \$8.75. Sale Price **\$4.98**

**Broken Lines and Discontinued Lines in Boyshform, Numode and Gossard Brassieres in Indian head, pink or white and pink batiste; back fastening, tape straps. Sizes 32 to 44. Value 95c. Sale Price 69c**  
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

## 900 Yards French Novelty Wool Dress Fabrics Regular \$4.95 for \$1.49 a Yard

A French manufacturer financially embarrassed clears for cash his advance collection of novelty dress fabrics. They are shown in block checks, plaid effects and knop stripes. The colorings are of a subdued nature, appealing in their rich color combinations; 54 inches wide. Regular \$4.95. Sale Price, per yard **\$1.49**

### An Extraordinary Offering in Marvella Coatings

Regular \$3.95 for \$1.98 a Yard

When you know that it only takes three yards to make a coat you will appreciate this great offering of rich marvella coatings, in shades of brown and navy, also black; 54 inches wide. Regular \$3.95. Sale Price, per yard **\$1.98**  
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

### 2,500 Yards of High Grade Spun Silks at 79c a Yard

Just in time for your Christmas sewing—2,500 Yards High-Grade Spun Silks in a weight for dresses, lingerie, drapes, etc. Shown in all the wanted colors; 29 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard **79c**

### Striped Crepe Satin \$1.69 Yard

A beautiful silk fabric for afternoon wear and at this low price will move quickly. Choose from rosewood, sand, Pekin, Havana, rose and sandalwood. Regular value \$2.50. 35 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard **\$1.69**

### 400 Yards Printed Georgettes and Crepe de Chine

Printed in many beautiful designs and rich color combinations. Regular \$2.95. Sale Price, per yard **\$1.98**

### Novelty Dress Cottons and Silk Rayons

Values to \$1.50 for 59c a Yard  
The collection includes printed voiles, striped tub silks, novelty silk crepes, art silk check voiles, striped alpaca, bordered ginghams, novelty broadcloth, printed rayons, printed tobaccos, plain tobaccos; 36 and 48 inches wide. Values to \$1.50. Sale Price, per yard **59c**  
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

## Wonderful Values in Staples, Including 1,200 Fancy Turkish Towels Values to \$1.75 for 98c Each

Shown in plain and jacquard weaves and finished with colored ends, in shades of blue, pink, gold and helio. Values to \$1.75. Sale Price, each **98c**

**500 White and Colored Turkish Towels**  
Splendid wearing and good drying qualities. Ideal for general use. Approximate size, 20 by 40. Regular 39c. Sale Price **4 for \$1.00**

**Roller Towels 39c Each**  
Made from heavy linen and cotton mixed yarns, all ready to hang on the roller. 2 1/2 yards long. Sale Price, each **39c**

**Union Check Glass Towelling, 24c a Yard**  
1,200 yards of Union Check Glass Towelling of splendid drying quality; 22 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard **24c**

**Dimity and Honeycomb Bedspreads**  
Snow White Dimity and Honeycomb Bedspreads, made from high grade yarns and easily laundered. Size 77 by 92. Values to \$3.95. Sale Price, **\$2.95**

**800 Yards Snow White Circular Pillow Cases**  
Circular Pillow Cotton of closely woven texture—40-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **39c**  
42-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **45c**  
44-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **49c**

**200 Pairs Embroidered Pillow Cases**  
Regular \$1.50, for 98c a Pair  
Made from fine linen finished cotton, and nearly embroidered in many charming designs. Choice of hemstitched or scalloped ends. Would make ideal Christmas gifts. Regular \$1.50. Sale Price, per pair **98c**

**1,200 Hemstitched and Hemmed Pillow Cases at 44 1/2c Each**  
Made from high grade cottons in plain and twill weaves, hemmed and hemstitched ends. 42 and 44-inch. Sale Price, each **44 1/2c**

**Medium Weight Unbleached Sheetings**  
72-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **39c**  
81-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **46c**

**Heavy Unbleached Sheetings**  
54-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **39c**  
63-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **44c**  
72-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **49c**  
81-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **59c**  
90-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **69c**

**Bleached English Sheetings**  
Fine bleach and free from filling—63-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **59c**  
72-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **69c**  
81-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **79c**  
90-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **89c**

**Linen Finished Sheetings**  
63-Inch. Sale Price, per yard **89c**  
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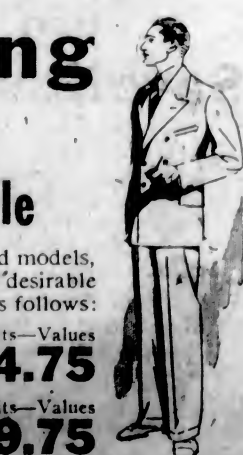
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## "Beau Geste"

A Great Mystery Story

By PERCIVAL CHRISTOPHER WREN

The three Geste brothers, Michael, Dicky and John, have been hunting the elusive "Beau Geste" for some time. They are now in the French Foreign Legion, and have come into contact with the elusive "Beau Geste" who is a French Foreign Legionnaire. They are now in the French Foreign Legion, and have come into contact with the elusive "Beau Geste" who is a French Foreign Legionnaire.

Next evening a handful of the better sort assembled near the shade of the palm grove, out of sight of the fort. Besides Michael, St. Andre, Maria and myself, there were Corder, Biano, Marigny, Ramon, Drobhoff, Glock, Vaerren, and one or two others—fifteen or sixteen in all—altogether enough, as Michael remarked to me, to control events, provided a united party with a common policy, could be formed.

But this proved impossible. Ideas of right and wrong, honor and dishonor, fair dealing and vile dealing, were too discrepant and probably tinged by other thoughts and motives, such as those of fear, hatred, enmity, vengeance and despair.

Michael addressed the meeting first. "As you all very well know," said he, "there is a plot to murder Lejaune and the non-coms, to desert and to abandon the fort. Schwartz is the ringleader and says that those who do not declare themselves supporters will be considered as enemies—and treated as such. Personally I do not do things because Schwartz says I must, nor do I approve of shooting men in their beds. Supposing I did, I still should disapprove of being let out into the desert by Schwartz, to die of thirst. Therefore I am against his plot—and I invite you all to join with me and tell Schwartz so. We'll tell him plainly that unless he gives up this mad scheme of murder and

mutiny, we shall warn Lejaune. Here a growl of disapproval from Marigny and Biano, and some vigorous head shaking, interrupted Michael's speech.

"I swear I will warn Lejaune," put in St. Andre, "but I will warn Schwartz first—and if he likes to drop the murder part of the scheme, he can do what else he likes. Any sacred imbecile who wants to die in the desert can go and do it, but I have nothing to do with mutiny."

"No treachery!" roared Marigny, a typical old soldier, grizzled and wrinkled, an honest, brainless, dogged creature who admired Schwartz and loathed Lejaune.

"Don't bray like that, my good son," said Michael turning to him, "and try not to be a bigger fool than God meant you to be. Where is the treachery in our replying to Schwartz. Thank you, we do not choose to join your murder gang. Moreover, we intend to prevent the murder—so drop the lips at once. Will you kindly explain how the gentle Schwartz is thus betrayed?"

"I say it is because of comrades," to tell an anecdotal, accused, nameless named dog's tail like Lejaune that they are plotting against him. Treachery, I said," replied Marigny. Michael sighed patiently. "Well—what are you going to do, Marigny—since you must either be against Schwartz or for him?" asked Maria. "I'm for him," replied Marigny promptly. "A skinking, skulking murderer?" asked Michael contemptuously. "I thought you were a soldier—of sorts," "I'm for Schwartz," said Marigny. "Then go to him," snapped Michael. "Go on," said out. "We should prefer it—being neither towards afraid of Schwartz, nor creeping murderers."

Marigny flushed, clenched his fists and, with an oath, put his hand to his bayonet and made as though to spring at my brother; but he evidently thought better of it as Michael closed his right hand and regarded the point of Marigny's chin. With a snarl of "Dirty traitors!" the

old soldier turned and strode away. "Anybody else think as he does?" asked Michael.

"I can't agree to betraying old Schwartz," said Biano, a Marcelline seaman, noisy, jolly, brave, and debonair; a rotund, black-eyed, bluff Provencal.

"Well—say what you are going to do then," said Michael sharply. "Join Schwartz's murderers or else join us," "I can't join Lejaune's boot-

lickers," said Biano. "Then join Schwartz's gang of assassins. You may perhaps be safer there," said Michael, and Biano departed grumbling.

"I must join my compatriots, I'm afraid," said Glock.

"You are afraid!" mocked Michael. "You have said it! It is Schwartz you are afraid of. You needn't be. You'll be safer outside that gang of murderers."

"I can't betray by compatriots," repeated Glock.

"Well—can you go to them and say—(what is the truth)—I don't believe in murder and I am certain this business will end in the deaths of all of us. Drop it or I and my friends will make you. Can you do that?" asked Michael.

"Big simple Glock, with his blue eyes and silly face, could only scratch his head and shuffle awkwardly from one foot to another.

"They'll kill me," he said.

"They certainly will kill you of this, if you let them lead you out there," argued Michael, with a wave of his arm to the encompassing desert.

"It seems we've all got to die, either way," said Glock.

"It's what I'm trying to prevent, isn't it fat-head?" answered Michael. "If the decent men of this garrison would act together and tell Schwartz to stop his silly tricks, no one need die."

"Except those whom Lejaune is killing," said Corder, a clever and agreeable Frenchman who had certainly been a doctor, and whose prescriptions and treatment his comrades infinitely preferred to those of any army surgeon. "If that pariah cur of the gutters of Rodom and Gomorrah could be shot with safety to the rest of us—I'd do it myself to-night, and write my name among those of the benefactors of the human race."

"Oh? Where do you stand then?" asked Michael.

"I come in with you and St. Andre," replied Corder, "though I ad-

mit my sympathies are wholly with Schwartz. Still, one's been a gentleman."

And in the end we found that only Corder could really be depended upon to join Michael, St. Andre, Maria, and myself as a staunch and reliable party of anti-Schwartz, pro-duty-and-discipline non-murderers, prepared to tell the mutineers that they must drop their assassination plot or Lejaune would be warned.

One by one, the others went off, some apologetic and regretful, some blustering, some honestly anxious to support what they considered Schwartz's brave blow for their rights, some merely afraid to do what they would have liked to do.

When we five were at length alone, Michael said, "Well, I'm afraid we're not going to scare Schwartz off his scheme."

"No," agreed Corder. "It looks more as though we are only going to provide him with some extra labour. More little pigs."

"There won't be any pigs if Lejaune acts promptly," said St. Andre.

"None," agreed Maria, "and I'm almost tempted to vote for warning Lejaune before saying anything to Schwartz. It would give us more chance."

"No. No. We can't do that," said Corder. "We must give old Schwartz a fair show. If he'll cut out the more dangerous items from his programme, we'll say nothing of course, and he can carry on. If he won't, we'll do our duty as decent folk, and give Lejaune his chance."

"Will he take it?" I asked. "Will he listen?"

"Not to one of us alone," said St. Andre. "But he'd have to take notice of a deputation consisting of the five of us, all telling the same tale."

"A deputation consisting of ourselves," coming from ourselves," smiled Corder.

"After all, though," asked Maria, "does it matter if he believes in us? Suppose one of us goes and tells him the truth—Isn't that enough? If he likes to punish the man and ignore his warning, that's his affair."

"Quite," agreed Michael. "But it's ours too! We don't want to be shot in our beds because Lejaune won't listen to us. If Schwartz isn't forestalled, every man in this fort who hasn't joined his gang by the day after tomorrow will share Lejaune's fate."

"That means us five, Bolidin, Dupre, and Lejaune," said Corder. "Unless Bolidin is in with them, which is quite likely," put in St. Andre.

"Yes, seven of us," mused Michael, "even without Bolidin. If Lejaune listens to our tale of woe and acts promptly, we five and the two non-coms are a most ample force for him to work with. . . . Simply a matter of acting a night before they do—and there need be no bloodshed either."

"Fancy fighting to protect Lejaune!" smiled Corder. "Enough to make le bon Dieu giggle."

"We're fighting to protect the flag," said St. Andre. "Lejaune is incidental. We're going to fight a murderous mutiny—and another incidental is that we are probably going to save our own lives thereby."

"Who'll tell Schwartz?" interrupted Corder.

"I will," said Michael.

"We all will," said I. "Let us five just go to him together and warn him. We won't emphasize the fact that we speak for ourselves only."

"That's it," agreed St. Andre. "We'll tell Schwartz that we're a 'deputation' to him—and do the same when we go on to interview Lejaune—if that's necessary."

And so the five of us agreed to go in search of Schwartz then and there, to tell him that we would take no part in mutiny and murder, and to warn him that we should report the matter at once, unless he agreed to abandon the part of his scheme that included the slaughter of superiors and the coercion of comrades.

As we left the oasis and strolled towards the fort, we met a man carrying pails for water. As he passed, I saw it was the Portuguese, Bolidin, the man who had been so roughly handled for attempted theft in our barrack-room at Ridi-bel-Abbes. He had always pretended that, on that melancholy occasion, he had strayed, under the influence of liquor, into the wrong room, and that, when caught, he was merely getting into what he thought was his own bed.

Warned by Hank and Ruddy, however, we, on the other hand, regarded the gentleman as the miserable tool of Bolidin, who had taken him up when Guantalo, Colonna and Gatto had declined to do his stealing for him.

As he passed Michael, he half stopped, winked, made as though to speak, and then went on. Looking back, I saw that he had halted, put his pails down, and was staring after us.

Seeing me turn around, he signalled to me to come to him and began walking towards me.

Here was a man with whom a quiet talk might be very useful, particularly as he had made the first overture.

"I want to speak to your brother and you," he whispered. "Privately. I haven't been doing it. I am in Hell—and yet I am going to Hell. Yes, I am going to Hell—and yet I am in Hell now."

He was evidently in a very unbalanced state of mind, and was trembling, and he looked terribly ill.

"Go into the oasis and wait," said I. "I'll bring my brother along soon."

"I must hide," he kept repeating. "I must hide," he kept repeating. "All right," I agreed. "You hide. I'll stroll along whistling 'Pere Bouquet' when I bring my brother."

"Lejaune will tear my throat out. He'll eat my heart. . . . So will Schwartz. . . . So will Bolidin. . . ."

"Well, you won't feel the second one," I comforted him, "and you haven't got three hearts. . . . You tell us all about it." I added nothing.

"Well, look after you. Pull yourself together now," for I thought he was going to burst into tears.

"You won't bring anybody else? You won't tell anybody else? Not a word?" he begged.

"Not a soul. Not a word," I replied. "You wait for us in the far clump of palms beyond the well, and I will come after Michael."

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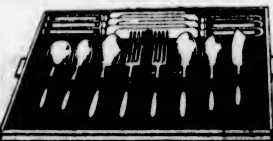
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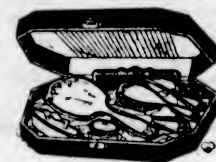
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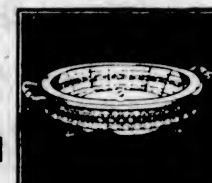


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## Large Entry List Assured For Provincial Fox Show

More Than Fifty Entries Are Filed for First Event Exclusively for Industry Staged in City—Show Will Be Opened by Premier Oliver on Tuesday

With every registered fox ranch on Vancouver Island represented, the forthcoming Provincial Silver Fox Show, which is to be staged at the Armories on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, under the auspices of the Vancouver Island Fox Breeders' Association, promises to be an outstanding success.

Mr. D. M. McDonald, superintendent of the show, was in Vancouver last week and held conferences with the officials of the B.C. Fox Breeders' Association with a view to concerted action in making both the show here and the international exhibition in Vancouver next month worthy of the industry, which, Mr. McDonald says, has made great strides in Western Canada in the last few years.

Up to date more than fifty entries have been received and many more are expected before the closing date.

Numerous entries from Vancouver also indicate widespread interest which is being taken in the fox industry. Prize-winners from the local show will be exhibited at the International Silver Fox Show to be held at Hastings Park.

Among those exhibiting at the show to be held here are the following: Malahat Fox Company, Cymry Fox Ranch, Keating, Gilt Edge Fox Company, Victoria, the Rossdale Ranch, and many others.

The show will be opened by Premier Oliver, and a number of well-known experts will be on hand to give any information required.

Four trophies have been donated for competition and are as follows: Cup for best pair of foxes in the show, donated by the Fox Breeders' Association of Vancouver Island; cup for the best adult female, donated by Rev. Montague Bruce, Keating; cup for the best matched pair in the show, donated by the Gilt Edge Fox Company, Victoria; cup for the best adult male, donated by Mr. F. W. Francis, Jeweler, Douglas Street.

The prizes will be presented on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. At the last Western Canada Show held in Vancouver in 1925, Vancouver Island fox farmers took five out of the nine trophies offered, besides twenty other prizes. This speaks well for the class of foxes being raised on the Island.

This is the first Provincial Fox Show held in Victoria, and much progress in the industry is anticipated as a result. On Vancouver Island one farm has fifty-three pairs of foxes, while there are quite a number of ranches all the way from ten to fifteen pairs.

Mr. McDonald says that farmers, to whom the industry really appeals, perhaps more than any other body

of men, are beginning to take an added interest and he anticipates a growth in the number of ranches in the Province in the next few years, that will place the industry in a leading position.

### Women's Institutes

**Royal Oak**  
There was a fair attendance at the monthly meeting of the Royal Oak Women's Institute on Wednesday afternoon, which was held at the home of Mrs. J. Nicholson, East Road. The president, Mrs. A. Hodgson was in the chair. It was decided to send home-cooking and also a number of members volunteered to go in and help with the lunch and tea to be served at the Potato and Bulb Show to be held in the Armories at the end of the month.

A staff for the sale of home-cooking has been arranged for. Through the kindness of the Hudson's Bay Company, the sale will take place on Saturday next, November 20.

A fancy dress ball was suggested for the week between Christmas and New Year's, and Mrs. H. H. Reed was asked to kindly look after the arrangements for the same, and appoint her committee of helpers, reporting at the next meeting.

The Institute birthday party will be held on Wednesday, December 6, Mrs. A. E. Campion offering her home for the occasion. The secretary was instructed to send invitations to the executives of nearby institutes. Mrs. Stone, of Wilkinson Road, will convene at the tea.

Members were reminded of the annual meeting and election of officers which will take place at the monthly meeting in December, when all are asked to be on hand to cast their vote. The executive will be the tea hostesses on that occasion.

Mrs. Frank Campbell, of the Victoria Institute, then addressed the meeting on "Publicity." Tea was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Reed and Mrs. Pinhorn.

The classes on "Parliamentary Procedure" will be resumed on Monday evening next, under Mrs. J. D.

**Cobble Hill**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Cobble Hill Women's Institute was held in the Institute room at the hall on Thursday, with an attendance of fourteen, the president, Mrs. T. P. Barry, in the chair.

A discussion took place on the recent District Conference, held in Victoria, and comment was made that several matters submitted by the delegates of the various Institutes had been crowded out owing to time taken up with addresses and lectures. The secretary, Mrs. B. McMillan, was accordingly instructed to write to the superintendent of Women's Institutes and also to the District Board, offering the suggestion that more time be taken up at these conferences with Institute work.

A letter was received from the Chief Poultry Inspector, asking the support of the members in exhibiting eggs at the annual Potato Show; the eggs will afterwards be sold in aid of the Bolarium. The Institute has also been asked to help at a cafe in conjunction with this show.

The meeting concluded with an expression of regret that no service had been held this year at the Memorial on Armistice Day.

Mrs. Geo. Frayne and Mrs. E. T. West were hostesses for the afternoon.

"Squire," complained the village speed cop, "if you don't reduce the fine for speeding, I'm gonna have to give me another job."

"Reduce the fine?" demanded the dispenser of justice. "What is \$10 and costs too much?"

"It must be," was the disgusted reply. "Th' cusses air all showin' up."

### VISITOR CUSTOMS OF JAPAN

Mrs. Weavill, in Address to Kumtuka Club, Gives Intimate Glimpse of Country

The members of the Kumtuka Club listened with keen interest to an informal talk on "Conditions in Japan," given on Friday evening by Mrs. Weavill, who has spent many years in the Orient. Miss Wigley placed her apartment at the disposal of the club. Mrs. Weavill drew vivid word pictures of the social, business and religious life of the Japanese.

**Modern Education**  
Modern education was now doing much to improve conditions for the

rising generation and would eventually stamp out some of the national customs which, to Occidental eyes, seemed to favor of uncivilized times.

Mrs. Weavill spoke of the famous flower shows of Tokio, where one could see growing plants so trained that their minute blossoms represented various forms, such as a lady in handsome robes, the colors of which were cunningly arranged to represent different fabrics. With the aid of small plaster of Paris faces the illusion was complete.

Mrs. Weavill is remaining in the city a short time prior to her departure for London, England, and for the benefit of those members who were unable to hear her on Friday she will speak at the next supper meeting of the club on November 22.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered her for her enlightening talk. Dainty refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

### "Uncle Joe" Cannon Died in Good Health

DANVILLE, Ill., Nov. 12.—"Uncle Joe" Cannon died the "perfect death," his physician, Dr. C. E. Wilkinson, said today.

"I believe it will go down in history as one of the most unique deaths which ever befell a great statesman. Usually they die suddenly, often comparatively young, through wear and tear. It was not so with Uncle Joe. He had no disease. Briefly, his physical machinery just wore out. He slept away peacefully."

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## Dockers Defeat Islanders And Secure Leadership

Esquimalt Register Deciding Tallies in Last Five Minutes of Game With Ten Men and Gain 3-1 Victory—Saanich Thistles and Wests Draw

Yesterday's Second Division Pacific Coast Football League results were: Esquimalt, 3; James Island, 1; Saanich Thistles, 3; Victoria Wests, 2.

By taking the measure of the powdermen by a 3-1 score, Esquimalt's soccer eleven stepped out in front in the Pacific Coast League race yesterday at the Royal Athletic Park. Although defeated, the Islanders are

still in second place, due to the fact that the Saanich Thistles split the points in their fixture, and are still joint occupants of the cellar position.

Both games were witnessed by good crowds. At the Royal Athletic Park the teams found the ground a little heavy, and with a slippery ball the play was somewhat listless for the better part of the game.

At Beacon Hill the Saanich Thistles came from behind a 2-1 score at half-time and held the Victoria Wests to a 3-3 draw. The youngsters were more or less lucky to pull out of the fray with the points even. Misticks on the part of the greenhairs' defence proved very costly and aided the Thistles in equalizing the count.

**Coulter Off**  
With Coulter, their star centre-forward, chased to the bleachers by the referee, Esquimalt's ten men stepped out in the last five minutes of the game and registered two counters in quick order to gain a 3-1 verdict over the James Island eleven at the Royal Athletic Park.

It was a disappointing finish for the large crowd of fans seated in the grandstand and lined along the fence at Victoria's premier sports ground.

**First Half**  
The conclusion of the first half saw the dockers leading a 1-0 score, with

### Was Nearly Crazy With Boils All Over His Body

Mr. B. L. Burke, Barronsfield, N.S., writes:—"For some time I was nearly crazy with boils all over my body. I tried everything I could think of to get rid of them, but to no avail, for as soon as one was healed up another would appear to take its place. I was advised to take

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and after I had used two bottles the boils had all disappeared and I have not been troubled with them since." Put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Coulter responsible for the counter in the first two minutes of the game. Play for the better part was of a listless nature, and not until the powdermen registered the tying counter did the teams show their class. Goldie, playing outside left for the Islanders, evened the count in the second half when he utilized an opening that Tommy Southern, centre-forward for the losers, made when he drew the Esquimalt defence to the centre of the field in the dockers' penalty area and swung the pigskin across to Goldie, who with a long drive sent the ball into the net for the only score by the powder experts.

**Opened the Play**

This score on the part of the Islanders opened the play and the teams began to get into the game with a little more life. The losers were pressing hard and Bridges was tested with a few hot shots in quick order, but the powdermen's best efforts were turned aside by the work of this trusty net custodian.

With about fifteen minutes to go, Coulter looked like scoring for the dockers, but his shot was blocked by the opposing defence. Coulter was anxious to settle his differences with a static duel, but the players intervened, and Dave Swan, the official arbitrator, put an end to the matter by ordering Coulter off the field.

Just at this stage, the game developed into somewhat of a fast pace, and the Islanders were fighting hard for their second victory over the league-leading dockers. Perhaps their over-excitement to win the encounter prevented their holding the game to a draw.

**John Watt Scores**  
With about five minutes to go and the probable outcome a draw, John Watt, inside right of the winners, sagged the net with a terrific drive after receiving a pass from Stewart at close range. The powdermen came back strong, but the opposing defence, although given a severe shaking, was able to prevent any further scoring.

Warren, inside left for the Esquimaltians, put the game on ice with about two minutes to go, when he made the score 2-1 on a fine individual rush. With the sounding of the final whistle the Islanders had to admit defeat. Dave Swan refereed, and the teams were:

Esquimalt: Bridges; J. Watt and Mesher; Hosmer, Hay and Stewart; John Watt, Coulter, Warren and Wagland.

James Island—Rogers; Carter and F. Aldous; G. Preston, B. Draston and Bowman; G. Aldous, G. Southern, T. Southern, Saville and Toidie.

**Three-All Draw**

The Wests and the Saanich Thistles soccer eleven fought to a draw yesterday afternoon at Beacon Hill, ending the match with three goals each to their credit. Yesterday's game provided some first-class soccer.

Kicking with a slight breeze against them, the Wests soon carried the ball into their opponents' area, only to be repulsed by the full-backs of the Thistles' eleven. Reg. Shanks, who was playing inside right for the Wests, opened the scoring, when he put the finishing touches to a pretty combination rush executed by the Wests' forward line. For the next ten minutes the play saw-sawed from one end to the other, and both the goalies were called upon to make occasional saves. Rob Shanks, who was outdone by his younger brother, took a pass from one of the half-backs, eluded the Thistles' defence and sent a warm drive past Hogan into the net. The Thistles then went on the offensive, and when one of the Wests' backs miskicked, Burns, playing centre for them, found the net.

**Second Half**

The second stanza started off with a burst of speed by both teams. James D'Arcy, playing his first game this year for the Thistles, scored after a fine solo rush. Reg. Shanks sagged the net for his second goal soon after the ball had been centered. Burns scored his second goal of the contest when he took the ball from Watson's miskick and beat Rob Whyte with a clean shot, putting the teams on even terms. Things looked bright for the Wests when Kelman handled the ball just outside the penalty area. Ted Dunn took the kick and sent a beauty towards the Thistles' goal mouth, but Kennedy cleared by heading it out. For the next twenty minutes both sides had chances to get into the lead, but erratic shooting combined with good goal tending by both goalies prevented any score.

Kennedy, Burns and Thomas were the pick of the Thistles, while Ted Dunn, Connorton and the two Shanks were the Wests' choice.

Ralph Aleck refereed, and the teams were as follows:

Saanich Thistles—Hogan; Kennedy and Campbell; Millar, Cameron and Kelman; Campbell, Minnie, Burns, D'Arcy and Thomas.

Victoria Wests—Rob Whyte; Wright, Drydenburgh; Connorton; Connorton, R. Shanks, McDonald and Rob Shanks.

**Wheat Pool President Visits Orient Market**

CALGARY, Nov. 13.—No hope of a world wheat pool under central management was held out by Mr. H. W. Wood, U.F.A. president, on his return from Australia and the Orient today, but he did declare that the pool system would be world-wide and dominating in future grain marketing operations. The Australian pool will, he said, ultimately achieve the fullest measure of success, despite many difficulties that they have to contend with there, difficulties not met with by the Canadian organization.

An optimistic view of marketing conditions in Japan was brought back by Mr. Wood. There is and will be a continued market for Canadian grain there, he said, and he forecast an immediate and growing increase in their milling requirements. China, said Mr. Wood, was too unsettled to provide any immediate prospect of a stable marketing field for grain.

**No Serious Shrinkage In Western Wheat Crop**

WINNIPEG, Nov. 13.—"Persons who have the idea that Western Canada's wheat crop has been seriously damaged by wet autumn weather are all wrong," declared Mr. Charles Murphy, general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, western lines, here today.

Statements that there had been serious shrinkage in volume, he said, had been disproved by the fact that between August 1 and November 11, the C.P.R. had delivered to the lake head 14,000,000 bushels more grain than during the same period last year. Of these shipments fifty-seven per cent grade contract.

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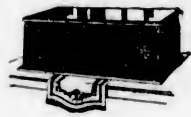
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# Plays and Players

## Thames Embankment Seen In "Every Mother's Son"

Dominion Features Cap. Rex Davis, M.C., in Famous British Production, With Magnificent Promenade as Background of Story

In keeping with the demand for British films the Dominion is again to the front with another picture direct from the English studios. The starring role in "Every Mother's Son" is played by Cap. Rex Davis, M.C., who came direct into the picture from his enormously successful engagement in the Pavilion, London. The cause of supporting artists is about the finest ever assembled in any of the recent British productions and is entirely English. The picture is full of excellent comedy and rare humor. There are also thrills, love and adventure galore, and a charming love romance running throughout the entire picture. The story is of three British Tommies, their adventures in the army and their more thrilling adventures in the streets when they get home. This comedy puts one in mind of and is just as screamingly funny as the former British picture, "Three Live Ghosts." "Every Mother's Son" lives up to its reputation as England's finest photo-play.

**Magnificent Promenade**  
The Thames embankment plays an important part in "Every Mother's Son." Every one familiar with old London knows that the Embankment means—how do you say it?—a magnificent promenade is thronged with residents of the city and suburb, how visitors gather along its entire length, stopping to admire and gaze upon the beloved traditions of centuries of English history. The Embankment starts at Westminster Bridge and extends to Black-

friars, a magnificent curve of nearly a mile and a half. It is one of the finest and most air-swept thoroughfares in the metropolis, and has an outlook unmatched anywhere in the world. Here may be seen the world of fashion, the demi-monde, the down and outers—all mingling raily and moodily, as their moods may be. Taxis, motors and tram cars express the cosmopolitan nature of traffic along the Embankment, and the tragedy or comedy of life is played out every night on benches while the world rushes on unseeing.

**The Riverside Beautiful**  
Beautiful gardens, monuments, stately residences are seen from the esplanade, flanking the river like giant sentinels. Sir Francis Outram, of Indian Mutiny fame, is commemorated by a beautiful monument—also Sir Bartle Frere, a South African War hero. Montagu House, long the town house of the Duke of Buccleuch, rears its stately portals nearby, and New Scotland Yard, in Scotch Baronial style, is just a few blocks away; this last named building is the headquarters since 1851 of the Metropolitan Police. A Royal Air Force Memorial on the river side of the Embankment comes in for a tremendous amount of admiration from tourist and visitor. When you see "Every Mother's Son" you will get the first glimpse of the Thames Embankment on a murky, foggy night in November, 1882; it is often seen again and plays a very prominent part in the working out of the plot.

## BUSTER KEATON PUGS IN 'BATTLING BUTLER'

He of the Frozen Face Has Hilarious Ring-side Adventure in Feature at Capitol

Buster Keaton has taken his frozen-face into the prize ring. At least, he masquerades as a pugilist, gets himself involved in a peck of trouble and finally has to fight the world's champion. And what a fight it is!

The famous comedian's hilarious venture into the realm of fastana forms the basis of the plot of "Batling Butler." Keaton's latest picture, showing at the Capitol Theatre this week, heralded as Buster's crowning achievement in laugh provoking, "Batling Butler" is living up to its promise through the country by convulsing audiences at every performance.

"Batling Butler" is different; it has an absorbing plot and is invested with elaborate settings that would do credit to the biggest dramatic productions. The supporting cast, including captivating Sally O'Neill, Ed. Redmond, Tom Wilson, Frank McHugh, Mary O'Brien, Eddie Horden and Buddy Pine is excellent. The comedy gives Buster the opportunity to again show his versatility. He portrays a rich young idler who falls in love and then has to pose as a prizefighter in order to win the girl, whose family believes him to be a weakling because of his fine clothes, valet and luxurious surroundings. The comedian takes the name of "Batling Butler," but when the real "Butler" appears on the scene, Buster finds himself hopelessly tangled in the web of deception. How he finally triumphs and whips the champion in a vicious battle that makes the fight in the original "Spillers" look like a petting party, provides a sensational climax in which thrills vie with mirthful moments.

"Batling Butler" was produced by Joseph M. Schenck for Metro-Goldwyn release.

## Queues Besiege Doors For "Chinese Bungalow" When Shown in Britain

Mr. Matheson Lang, speaking of his new play, "The Chinese Bungalow," to a Colonial representative, said: "I suppose the fact that it is a Chinese play given it a fifty per cent pull, because when it was tried out in Hull, England, I recollect seeing what appeared to be a riot in front of the theatre, and I afterwards found that it was a queue to witness 'The Chinese Bungalow.' This was entirely due to the success of 'Mr. Wu' and the association of ideas. Mr. Lang explained how he came to take up Oriental plays. 'When I was touring in the East,' he said, 'I used to find that our western plays were attended by the European residents; but when we put on Shakespeare the natives used to flock to see it—I mean, of course, those natives who had been educated over here, and there are thousands of them. They would come round to the dressing-rooms and chat, and I used to study them. Then it occurred to me that we very rarely—if ever—got a true presentation of a Chinaman on the English stage, and I decided that I should like to see what I could do in the way of portraying one. 'Mr. Wu' was produced eventually—with what result you know? Do I feel that I have mastered the Chinaman's psychology? I certainly do not. I have done my best; but the thorough study I have made of his temperament has convinced me that there will always be unexplored depths. The Chinaman is inscrutable."

## Censoring U.S. Films

Efforts are being made to remove the objectionable features of American films intended for presentation in Great Britain. Mr. S. Rowson, head of the Ideal Films, Ltd., is in Hollywood in order to give advice as to the sort of films required in the Old Country and what is not required. It is hoped to eliminate all features which hold up British life and institutions to ridicule and contempt.

## AMUSEMENTS

Capitol—Buster Keaton in "Batling Butler."  
Columbia—"Phantom of the Opera," starring Lon Chaney.  
Dominion—Capt. Rex Davis, M.C., in "Every Mother's Son."  
The Stage  
Coliseum—"In Walked Jimmy."  
Playhouse—"Good Night, Nurse."  
Crystal Garden—Swimming and Dancing.

## "PHANTOM OF OPERA" COMES TO COLUMBIA

Lon Chaney in Best Super-Special With All-Star Cast Opens Tomorrow

Lon Chaney, of "The Hunchback of Notre Dame" and the favorites, Mary Philbin and Norman Kerry, who played together in "Merry Go Round," one of last year's greatest successes, all play together in "The Phantom of the Opera." Lon Chaney's successor to "The Hunchback," Universal's spectacular mystery coming to the Columbia Theatre Monday, for a three-day run. Miss Philbin plays the role of Christine Daae, the opera singer whose love the "Phantom" sacrifices his life for, one of the most poignant roles in modern literature. Many stars were considered and several were negotiated with, before, at the behest of Rupert Julian, who directed her in "Merry Go Round," Miss Philbin was decided on. The new picture, a massive spectacle, is adapted from the famous mystery novel by Gaston Leroux. It is laid in and about the famous Paris Opera, and the sinister machinations of "The Phantom," a mysterious creature with a warped soul who had his refuge in the cellars, five stories deep, under the famous old building, where he exerted a sinister influence on the gay throngs above.

## PLAYHOUSE OFFERS 'GOOD NIGHT, NURSE'

Trials and Tribulations of Newly-Weds Told in Snappy Musical Comedy This Week

Reg. Hincks offers "Good Night, Nurse," a musical comedy, this week. It relates the adventures and troubles of Theodore Marbury (Harold Beech) and his newly-wedded wife (Eleanor Duncalf). His friend the Sultan had sent him a wedding present, and what a present it was! His friend Jimmy, a Benzon, the butler, tried to fix things for him to prevent his wife and her aunt from seeing the present. But all to no avail. Polly, Benzon's daughter, also gets mixed up in the plot and Benzon eventually saves the day. There is some excellent music in the production.

**On the Screen**  
Mary Pickford will be seen first as a little Belgian girl when she comes to the Playhouse screen tomorrow in her new picture, "Through the Back Door." A combination of American and foreign locale, this picture offers excellent entertainment possibilities, featuring as it does the world's greatest screen actress in a child part, the role in which Mary Pickford has no peer.

The story opens at Ostend in 1903, then the gayest seashore resort in Belgium. Little Jeanne Bodamers and her pleasure-loving mother are summering at Ostend, where Madame Bodamers meets Elton Reeves, a wealthy New Yorker. After a whirlwind courtship Reeves and Madame Bodamers marry. Little Jeanne is consigned to the care of her nurse, Marie, for one year, against the mother's wishes and only because the new husband insists.

## A Royal Film

While the Queen of Rumania was in America a British film company obtained permission to go to Bukarest to take scenes in the royal castle. The film is to be based on the Queen's novel, "The Voice on the Mountain," and the picture is to be produced in London.

## Rin-Tin-Tin "Shot" in "While London Sleeps"

"While London Sleeps," Rin-Tin-Tin's latest starring vehicle, has been completed, and it is now in the cutting room. It is scheduled for release next month. This production is more pretentious in settings and effects than any previous Rin-Tin-Tin picture. Rinty has a carefully selected cast supporting him in this picture.

## NEW MAP ISSUED OF MOUNTAIN AREA

District West of Calgary Contains Wonderful Park Areas Accessible by Railway and Highway

An area of 4,400 square miles, lying south and west of the city of Calgary and extending partly into the Province of British Columbia, is included in the Calgary sheet of the Sectional Map of Canada, which has just been issued by the Topographical Survey, Department of the Interior. One-fifth of the area lies in the Western Plains region of Canada and the remainder is in the Cordilleran Mountain region, the summit of the Rocky Mountains crossing the sheet in a southeast-northwest direction. The greater part of the mountainous region is taken up by the Rocky Mountains and Kootenay National Parks and the Bow River forest reserve. In the vicinity of Mount Asiniboine is the highest Canadian peak in the region south of the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Many of the names of the mountain peaks along this part of the boundary were given in commemoration of leaders of the Allied Armies and Navies in the Great War. In addition to the peaks along the

Wales. In the foothills region is also shown the location of the oil wells in the Turner Valley and along Sheep Creek. The mountainous region has great attractions for tourists and alpinists. St. Asiniboine is the highest Canadian peak in the region south of the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Many of the names of the mountain peaks along this part of the boundary were given in commemoration of leaders of the Allied Armies and Navies in the Great War. In addition to the peaks along the

watershed, there are many unnamed ones, especially on the British Columbia side, ranging about 9,000 feet. The location of the Banff-Windermere highway is shown across the map and in addition many pack trails from readily accessible points to the lakes and mountain valleys, which may only be reached by ponies. These pack trails are being gradually improved, especially within the park areas, so as to increase the facilities for travelling for tourists and mountaineers. The Alpine Club of Canada has held several camps in this area

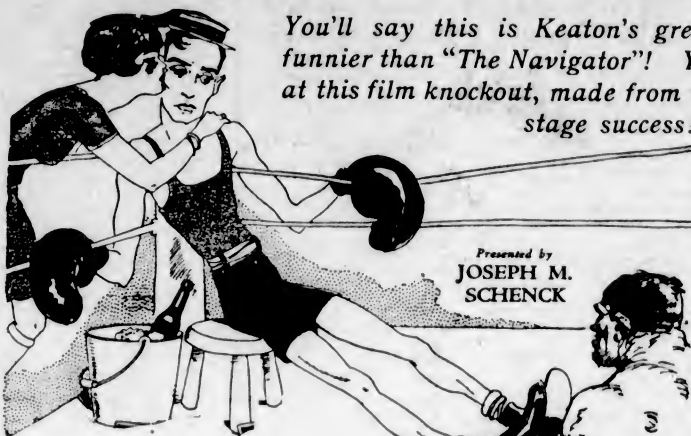
and the charm of its scenery never fails to please. This map is printed in eight colors, on both thin and thick paper. Copies may be obtained from the Topographical Survey, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, for twenty-five cents each or put up in folder form convenient to the pocket for fifty cents each. It may not be generally realized what is entailed in the production of topographic maps such as these. A topographic map cannot, like Topog, "just grow" but is the result of careful compilation from accurate surveys upon the ground. So far as those natural features which do not change are concerned, the compiler has access to all information which has previously been collected, but with this must be correlated the latest information regarding artificial features and other features subject to change. Thus, the information shown upon the present Calgary sheet is a compilation from at least eight different surveys, the first of which was carried on forty years ago and the most recent only last year.

All This Week

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## A London Letter

Imperial Conference Delegates Are Swamped With Invitations—Women's Conference Is Proposed—Canadian Students' Hostel in Paris Fills Old Want—Woman Air Pilot Thinks Flying Easy

By ELIZABETH MONTIZAMBERT

The members of the delegation to the Imperial Conference are repeating the experience of the members of the former conference in the danger of being swamped by the number of invitations. Their wives share this danger with them. I have just returned from a most successful lunch given to the wives of the overseas delegates by the United Empire Circle of the Lyceum Club. The President, Mrs. Leonard Rees, who is better known to Canadians as Miss Mary McLeod Moore, made a pleasant speech of welcome to the overseas guests, reminding them that they were honorary members of the Club during their stay in London.

After Madame Lapointe had thanked the Club for its hospitality to Canadians and Lady Howe had performed a similar duty, Mrs. Gordon Coates, of New Zealand, made a graceful little speech, in which she pointed out that ninety-nine per cent of New Zealanders were of British stock, that they had more wealth per head than any country in the world and that their death rate and infant mortality were the lowest on record. Lady Hoy thanked the Club on behalf of South Africa. Mrs. Monro for Newfoundland, and the wife of the Maharajah of Burdwa for India. Among the guests were the Countess of Clarendon and Dame Maud MacCarthy, both lately returned from Canada, and Mrs. Amery, whose friends were glad to see her recovered from her recent indisposition.

It is true to say that we live in an age of miscegenation. The day the fact is brought more obviously to our attention. We can now, weather permitting, talk by beam to Canada. Thanks to Mr. Macdonald, the doubtful blessing of seeing the person to whom we are telephoning will soon be ours, and on my return from the Lyceum luncheon I was attracted to a window on the corner of Stratton Street, where an interested crowd were examining a new invention in motor cars that have no clutches, no gears, brakes on all four wheels, and are so short that can be made to climb a slope by means of a thread pulling on a carburetor lever.

The opening of the new Canadian Students' Hostel in Paris reminds one of the conditions prevailing twenty years ago. In those days the girl students were better looked after than the men, for there was an International Hotel at 36 Boulevard de St. Michel, as well as the American Hostel organized by Mrs. Whitelaw Reid at No. 4 Rue de Chevreuse, besides a series of recommended pensions more or less comfortable according to French notions. The men students had their own haunts, often very comfortable, but nothing was done for them beyond the formation of an American club. Those were the days before the nose of the Cafe du Dome had been put out of joint by its neighbor over the way, the Cafe de la Rotonde. It was the era of the Chambre Garnie, where all the attention one got was the arrival of a cadaverous waiter bearing a black lacquer tray with semi-sweetened rolls and coffee. The Canadian student of today will have no need to seek consolation from desolate surroundings in the Cafe d'Harcourt. He will probably still wander up to Montparnasse to eat his dejeuner chez Henriette or Boudet's, but his little breakfast will be taken in the big airy hall of the comfortable building declared open by the Prince of Wales. The Montparnasse Quarter, which has been chosen by the French Government for the Cite Universitaire, is rather a long way from the Sorbonne, but the students will have the amenities of a lovely park close to their gates, and the flower filled loggia of the upper story will be charming places for any hard-working student to rest and take the air.

There were several interesting discussions at the meeting of the National Council of Women, besides the one about the immediate enfranchisement of women on the same terms as men. One of them concerned the subject of liquor control, and Lady Frances Balfour made a very pertinent and witty little speech in favor of local option, commending the "Oxford" Liquor (popular control) Bill. Lady Frances can seldom forbear a ribe at the inhospitable south of the Border, and she ended by saying that Englishmen have for long been drinking a beverage which has done them little harm beyond fuddling their none-to-bright brains.

It is not very easy to see the connection between aviation for women and a National Council meeting, but Mrs. Elliott Lynn, a woman aviator, maintained that aviation is just as safe for women as driving a motor. She asserted that it is easier to fly an airplane than one would imagine, and though she has apparently resigned, owing to the frosty attitude of her conference, she has a valiant record in flying to her credit. She told her hearers that it would only take ten or twelve hours to learn to fly in the light airplanes subsidized for twenty pounds by the Air Ministry.

Another subject that occupied the minds of the Council was the present one of the effect of slum life on the population. People are beginning to realize more and more that a great deal of crime and disease is directly traceable to housing conditions, and the Council passed a resolution calling on the Government to speed up housing schemes and the clearing out of slums. Lady Selbourne, in support of the resolution, upheld the point of view of the speculative builder who wanted a return on his capital. During the discussion it was pointed out that there was two thousand basement dwellings in Westminster alone, while thousands of families were crammed into houses down tenements in Kensington and Chelsea.

The season of Christmas bazaar will soon be upon us. There are so many of them that selection is difficult. But I am certainly going to the Christmas Market that Princess Arthur of Connaught will open on be-

half of the Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Hospital Appeal. Mrs. Amery is opening the Empire Stall, arranged by Lady Guggisberg, whom frequenters of the British Naval and Military Hospital in Paris will remember best as Miss Decima Moore.

Overseas visitors inclined to think that the Old Country is slow in welcoming new ideas ought to go out to Brighton and spend a morning at Sower House, the London County Council Open Air School for children. The school is not in any sense a sanatorium and is not intended for the use of tuberculous children. It is organized to obviate the effects of overcrowding in city districts where it is almost impossible for children to acquire the vision and love of open spaces that they must have if they are ever to push out from their overpopulated surroundings and make a success in less crowded areas. The school is doing a great work in giving these children land-sense, the love of all those things that make the cultivation of the land a pleasant and useful vision, the power to look through present circumstances to the opportunities that lie beyond their immediate surroundings.

A child who for one reason or other has been irregular in his school attendance is gathered by the London County Council into this beneficial place where he spends nine hours each day. The open air work is divided into the ordinary school curriculum and manual work, the latter, in the cleverest possible way, being used to illustrate and intensify the lessons learned. Geography, for instance, is taught in the most fascinating and tactful manner, leaving no loop-hole for lack of understanding of the terms used. The city-bred child, who has never seen the sea, is taught the shape of oceans and rivers with the help of real water; he makes continents big enough to stand on out of real earth, with his own pick and shovel, and directions between one country and another are not easily forgotten if one has been able to walk in them on one's own feet. The ultimate benefit of such schools will have its repercussion in those overseas countries where children brought up in this way will have much more chance of finding happiness than if they had grown up like ill-nurtured weeds lacking space and sun. It is an interesting experiment in breaking down barriers in the mind that one can only hope will be more widely organized as time goes on.

## OAK BAY PUPIL WINS FIRST PRIZE

Results in Fire Prevention Week Essay Contest Are Announced for Local Schools

The judges have just finished their work in awarding the prizes given by the Fire Marshal of British Columbia, Mr. J. A. Thomas, for the best essays written in the Victoria and district public and private schools upon the subject of Fire Prevention.

More than 2,100 essays were handed in for the group competition, which shows a remarkable increase of interest taken by both the principals and scholars. The papers sent in by George Jay School called for admiring comment especially.

The best essay, written by Charles Lionel Backler, 748 Newport Avenue, Oak Bay, a pupil of fourteen years of age, in Oak Bay High School, shows a wonderful grasp of the subject for a young boy.

Following are the prize winners: Group 1—Victoria High School, Oak Bay High School, St. Margaret's High School, St. Ann's High School; 1, South Park, \$5.00; 2, Joyce Dixon, South Park, \$3.00; 3, Douglas Lane, South Park, \$2.00. Group 2—Boys' Central, Girls' Central and South Park; 1, James Fitch, South Park, \$5.00; 2, Joyce Dixon, South Park, \$3.00; 3, Douglas Lane, South Park, \$2.00.

Group 3—St. J. Douglas, Quadra, Victoria West; 1, Pauline Havard, Quadra, \$5.00; 2, Gwen Fairall, Victoria West, \$3.00; 3, Betty Nicholson, Victoria West, \$2.00. Group 4—Oaklands and George Jay; 1, Rose Loe, George Jay, \$5.00; 2, Margaret Dalby, George Jay, \$2.00; 3, Alex. Hackett, Oaklands, \$2.00.

Group 5—Margaret Jenkins, North Ward, \$5.00; 2, Mary Purdy, Margaret Jenkins, \$3.00; 3, Donald Taylor, Burnside, \$2.00. Group 6—St. Ann's Academy, Sefton College and Collegiate School; 1, Iris Gaekill, St. Ann's, \$5.00; 2, Angot Archibald, Sefton College, \$3.00; 3, G. Gilmore, Collegiate, \$2.00.

Group 7—Willow, Monterey Avenue, St. Michael's and Lamson Street; 1, Margaret Dalby, Monterey, \$5.00; 2, Vincent Shanley, Lamson Street, \$3.00; 3, R. H. Angus, St. Michael's, \$2.00. Group 8—Tillikum, Tolmie, Cloverdale and McKenzie; 1, Myrtle Bennett, Tolmie, \$5.00; 2, Jean Burnett, Tillikum, \$3.00; 3, Kathleen Macpherson, Cloverdale, \$2.00.

The prizes will be delivered at the different schools at an early date.

Two men were at work on a digging job. The boss came along and "tore into" one of them. He said, "Why you and Huddins started at the same time and now you see his pile of dirt is a lot bigger than yours," whereupon the observing digger replied, "Yes, but he's digging a lot bigger hole."

## The Garden Week by Week

By NORMAN W. RANT, F.R.S.E.

A great number of hardy annuals are better sown in the Fall than in the Spring. At least they will give earlier results and larger plants. Among the seeds which may be sown now are Shirley Poppies, annual delphiniums, annual chrysanthemums, godetia and many others. If these are sown broadcast now and well, very well, thinned out in the Spring, the result will be a revelation to those who have been in the habit of sowing these seeds early in the year.

The following list will perhaps help readers to make a selection for the purpose above referred to: Annual chrysanthemums may be had in many kinds, named varieties coming fairly true from seed. Morning Star is a primrose yellow, Evening Star golden yellow, and Northern Star is creamy-white with a yellow zone. There are single and double godetia, in bright rose, deep rose, crimson and mauve, all of which are very taking and lasting flowers.

A leading seed house in England recommends the sowing of *Nigella* and *eschscholzia* together, stating that the blue and yellow make a very happy combination. The writer has not seen this combination in actual practice, so is only passing on the hint. Both these should be sown in the Fall.

Shirley poppies and other annual

poppies, such as the Ryder, should be Fall-sown, but thin them out to eight inches apart in the early Spring. It seems hard to "ditch" so many seedlings but the result is the finest kind of plants, which will last longer in flower than the seedlings that have been left in a crowded condition.

*Gypsophila elegans*, the annual *gypsophila*, is another subject that is much the better for being sown in the Autumn. It is a very useful plant for cutting and mixing with other flowers.

Cornflowers of all shades are always sown in the Fall by market growers and the result is very early blooms of one of the best cutting annuals that can be had.

The Sweet Sultan, which is a first cousin of the above, is also a fine flower for cutting, but be sure that plenty of lime is added to the soil in which the seed is sown.

Larkspur or annual delphinium do much better Fall-sown, and now that the beautiful pink varieties can be had they are well worth a place in the most elegant garden.

The old-fashioned pot marigold in its newest forms, Orange King and Lemon Queen, is a revelation in the way of a cut flower in two shades of yellow. It blooms all the year round, that is from April until Nov-

ember and later if there is no heavy frost.

**Sweet Peas, Too**  
Sweet peas are much sown in the Fall and as a rule give better and earlier results than the Spring-sown ones.

All Fall-sown seedlings are nearly always stronger than Spring-sown ones and require more room to develop. The flowers are also larger and of a better color as a rule.

There are many other annuals that are best Fall-sown but the above are all good cut flower varieties.

A rather common but beautiful flower is the Madonna Lily (*Lilium Candidum*) but it does not always do well in the garden. In the Old Country one often sees it growing splendidly in cottage gardens, while it refuses to do well in gardens where it gets every attention that can be given to it.

**Lily Cultivation**  
The matter of the culture of this lily has been taken up by a well-known expert in England and his conclusions on the subject will prove of interest to all who cultivate this very beautiful flower.

He finds that the whole thing is a question of soil, or rather, soil and drainage. He asserts that in heavy soil they will grow and flower the first year and perhaps the second, but that after that they will die out or become so weak that they are useless. In light soil with very free drainage, however, they do well in almost any situation. The expert points out that any soil may be made suitable by proper

drainage and admixture of lightening substances where necessary.

**Ready for Winter**

It is time now to see that the perennial borders are taken care of for the Winter. The plants should be cut down and if necessary taken up and divided, using the outside parts for replanting. If a plant is taken up, the ground from which it is taken should be manured before another plant is put in. If one has kept proper track of the garden during the Summer one will know what plants to remove because their color is not in keeping with the neighboring plants and will also know what color to substitute. In fact, this is the time of the year to put mistakes right.

The digging should be done now, before too much rain falls and makes the ground hard to work. Anything in the way of digging that is done now will help the Spring work along. During fine weather in the Winter is a good time for making a rock garden or constructing any new feature one has had in mind.

**Station Agent's Boys Killed by Yard Engine**

CALGARY, Nov. 13.—Two sons of the Canadian National Railway agent at Rosebud, Alta., were killed this morning by a switch engine in the yards. They were Kenneth O'Farrell, eight years old, and his brother, Gerald, four years old. It appears that they were standing on the track when the switched cars struck them.

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Reptilian Leather Tie Strap Pumps and Oxfords; latest styles in all leathers. Specially priced at.....**\$5.00 and \$6.00**  
—Shoes, 1st Floor

**Pillow Slips**

All Big Values

Plain Cotton Slips, hemmed ready for use. A pair, **49c**

Plain Hemmed, Strong Twill Pillow Slips, a pair.....**89c**

Hemstitched or Scalloped Pillow Slips, handsomely embroidered, each.....**59c**

26-Inch Snow White Cotton, suitable for underwear and all household purposes, a yard.....**15c**  
—Staple Dept., Main Floor

**All-Copper Boilers**

On Sale for

**\$3.65**

All-Copper Boilers, large size and of medium gauge copper. Just 32 for early shoppers. Well worth \$6.00. On sale for.....**\$3.65**  
—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

**Snaps in the Hardware Dept.**

Shoe-Repairing Outfits, medium and small lasts, hammer and knife, complete. On sale, at set.....**\$1.35**

Tearless Mincer, consisting of chopping block, cutting knife and glass container. Regular \$1.00, for.....**39c**

Egg Beater and Measuring Cup, non-splash. Regular 75c, for.....**39c**

Nickel-Plated, Free Running Egg Beater. Each.....**20c**

Aluminum and Steel Wire Egg Slice, ideal for sandwich making.....**20c**  
—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

**Great Volume Sale of SILKS**

Commencing Monday—See Windows

40-Inch Silk Crepe de Chine, all-silk quality; good weight and clean weave; suitable for dresses and lingerie. Shades are white, sky, pink, black, brown, maize, fawn, purple, Nile, jade, navy and mauve. Regular \$1.98 a yard. On sale for.....**\$1.19**

36-Inch Black Duchesse Satin, heavy quality for dresses; bright finish and even texture. Regular \$1.98 a yard. On sale for.....**\$1.00**

Natural Pongee, 33 inches wide; ideal for dresses, lingerie, draperies, etc. On sale, a yard.....**49c**

36-Inch Figured Silk, in a variety of designs and colorings, for dresses, over-blouses or trimmings. Regular \$1.98 a yard. On sale for.....**98c**

21-Inch Velveteen, twill back and a rich pile, for children's dresses, etc. In black, navy, Copenhagen, Italian blue, old rose, taupe, moss, prune, scarlet and orange. On sale, a yard.....**\$1.00**

40-Inch Crepe Ninon, fine quality ninon with a crepe finish; very strong. Shown in navy, sky, fawn and Nile. Regular \$2.50 a yard. On sale for.....**\$1.75**  
—Silks, Main Floor

**Woolen Dress Fabrics**

On Sale Monday

54-Inch Navy Serge, all-wool quality and a good strong weave; for children's dresses, gym suits, etc. Regular \$1.69 a yard, for.....**98c**

40-Inch Fancy Tweeds, splendid grade in pretty mixtures, small checks and fancy patterns of grey, fawn, brown and greens. On sale, a yard.....**95c**  
—Dress Goods, Main Floor

**Oval Dishpans**

Regular \$2.50, for

**\$1.19**

Oval Dishpans of the famous white three-coat enamel. Capacity, 14 quarts; will fit the modern sink. On sale, each.....**\$1.19**  
—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

**Hand-Made Laces**

Many Bargain Values on Sale Monday

300 Yards of Hand-Made Cluny Lace, 2 inches wide. Regular 25c a yard, for.....**10c**

300 Yards of Irish Lace Edging. Regular 19c a yard. On sale for.....**10c**

Fine Hand-Made Cluny and Torchon Lace Insertions, 1-inch wide. Regular 29c a yard. On sale for.....**10c**

400 Yards of Hand-Made Cluny Lace, in four different designs. Regular to 49c a yard. On sale for.....**25c**  
—Laces, Main Floor

**Flannelette**

For Infants' Wear, on Sale, a Yard

**19c**

28-Inch Pure White Soft Finish Flannelette, for nightgowns or underwear, sleepers, etc. On sale, yard, **19c**

28-Inch Canton Flannel, for diapers; a Canton with a soft nappy surface and firm twill-back. A yard.....**19c**  
—Staple Dept., Main Floor

**Men's Natural Wool Underwear**

On Sale Monday

Natural Wool Underwear in medium weight. Made in England. "Robin Hood" brand. Shirts are double-breasted. Sizes 34 to 44. A garment.....**\$1.75**

Combinations, with long sleeves and ankle length. A suit.....**\$3.50**  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

**Men's Ties and Handkerchiefs**

All Big Values

Heavy English Silk Ties, in choice patterns and colors. A chance to buy for Christmas. Regular price \$2.00 for.....**\$1.00**

Initial Silk Handkerchiefs full size and hemstitched. Regular price, each, \$1.00 for.....**75c**  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

**Men's Wool Socks**

Regular 65c a Pair, for

**49c**

Grey Hansen Wool Socks for men (3 3/4 lbs.). These are slightly shop soiled, but otherwise perfect. Regular a pair, 65c, for.....**49c**  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

**Boys' All-Wool Tweed Suits**

**\$9.95**

With Two Pairs of Pants

All-Wool Tweed Suits, each with two pairs of full lined bloomers; neat models and dressy. Sizes 26 to 36 for.....**\$9.95**

Boys' Balloon Pants, grey flannel and all-wool blue serge. Neat fitting. Sizes 26 to 32. A pair.....**\$2.75**

Boys' Blue Serge Knickers, good grade, full lined; English models. Sizes 22 to 32.....**\$1.50**  
—Boys' Store, Lower Main Floor

**These Bargains in the Boys' Store Monday**

Boys' English Braces, of strong elastic web, with leather tips; for 4, 6 and 8 years.....**10c**

Boys' Undershirts, broken lines and sizes; Penman's and Watson's makes. Pure wool and woolen mixtures; sizes 22 to 30. Regular price \$1.50, for.....**50c**

Boys' Combinations, cream with soft fleecy finish; long sleeves and short legs; medium weight. Sizes 24 to 34. A suit.....**\$1.25**

Boys' One-Piece Flannelette Pajamas, neat pattern; sizes for 6 to 16 years. Price.....**\$1.75**

Boys' Shirt Waists, of strong prints; well made; full size; for 6 to 16 years. Price.....**75c**

Boys' All-Wool English Coat Sweaters, two pockets and V neck; greys and navy; sizes 26 to 32. Regular price \$1.50, for.....**75c**  
—Boys' Store, Lower Main Floor



# Great Britain and Dominions Overseas

## WALKS DECKS OF SCUTTLED SHIP

Press Agent Tells of Wonderful Salvage Work on Huge Sunken German Flagship Near Scapa Flow

### BRITISH FIRM TACKLES BIGGEST JOB OF ITS KIND

Writer Gives Picture of Disconsolate Appearance of Hindenburg on Second Advent to the "Sunlight"

A FEW months ago Messrs. Cox and Danks, Ltd., began one of the greatest salvage undertakings ever attempted—that of raising the German battle-cruiser Hindenburg, scuttled in June, 1919, near Scapa Flow.

The Hindenburg weighs 27,000 tons, and she contained about 14,000 tons of water. Before pumping operations could be effective it was necessary to cover the hatchways, portholes, and other openings in the vessel with wooden patches affixed by divers. Pumping began, and three times the vessel had begun to lift when a patch gave way, in rushing water, and she settled down again. Another attempt was made.

"While parts of the giant hulk were still below the sea," says a press representative, "I donned the clumsy dress—minus the helmet—of a diver, and from a small boat scrambled up outside, and down inside, a wooden chimney-stack structure called a coffer dam, which had been built over the foremast hatchway of the submerged upper deck of the vessel.

Slither on Slimy Decks

"From there, by vertical iron ladders, guided by a portable electric lamp and with sea water cascading over me and occasionally up to the waist on the floor, I slithered on three slimy decks as low as the armor deck, and as far as the stokehold, which lies beyond the gun turret, where one peered down into the still, water-logged magazine and fumbled overhead along the rail by which the gun charges travelled to feed the 12-inch guns.

"Above us stores are still lying in the carpenter's department of the armor deck in profusion. They are unstacked still. Planes, files, crowbars, axes, augers, and nails still crowd their appropriate metal drawers and shelves—a sorry, greasy, unattractive sight. The air is thick. There are nearly welded diving gear and smoke-helmets, and hundreds of little oxygen canisters are stacked in rapid disarray.

### BEER BARRELS FLOAT

"The upper 'twelve deck' was an adventure in investigation. Beer barrels still roll the floor of one store, one barrel attached to another, and small bottle-filling plant. Skeletons of easy chairs float in the barber's shop, and a big mirror gave me back a somewhat distorted reflection of the doors of an empty metal sideboard swinging open and shut in the officer's lounge. The framework of once comfortably upholstered seats and tables to the walls is rotting. Heavy cups hang in orderly rows from the ceiling of the officers' serving room. Everything is in motion, and, despite the still unbroken and unbleeding, despite seven years' submersion.

"Given the orders typed on stout paper are plainly decipherable, and some large plans found by the divers have greatly simplified the work of discovering and caulking up all apertures."

## ERECT MEMORIAL TO BOER LEADERS

General Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien's Appeal in Connection With Foulie and Prinloo Approved

General Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien's appeal for subscriptions to the proposed memorial to General Foulie and Prinloo has aroused much interest in the Transvaal, largely due to the fact that few people were aware of the gallantry of those Boer leaders in the fight at Witloof. The recital of the incident and the appeal of the soldier who commanded the British in the district at the time has caught the public imagination, and it is expected that a large number of subscriptions will be forthcoming, says the Johannesburg correspondent of the London Times. One name already been received. The Johannesburg Star is informed that about £150 has been collected in the Carolina district by those who conceived the idea of erecting the monument to Foulie and Prinloo, and that it is proposed to erect a monument at Witloof.

### World's Wettest Spot

London's average rainfall in some twenty-three inches, but in Eire, the capital of Sierra Leone, 121 inches of rain descend from the skies every year. Among India's most easterly province, has actually the wettest climate in the world, however, with an annual rainfall of 469 inches. This, by far, the heaviest downpour known anywhere, has been registered at Cherrapunji. In the Khasi hills, where, on certain days in June, as much as thirty inches of rain have fallen within twenty-four hours, the equivalent of London's supply for a whole year.

### Demolish Dover Fort

Archibald Fort, Dover, one of Henry VIII's defensive works, is now being demolished on its seaward side to make room for Southern Railway improvements.

### Record Rubber Exports

Rubber exported from British Malaya in September reached the "record" total of 25,913 tons gross, making the total for the first nine months of the year 240,648 tons, an increase of \$4,245 tons.

## Astronomers Met In Mid-Air Duel During World War

THERE is a good moral somewhere in the news that two astronomers, one British, the other German, who first met in an aerial duel during the war thousands of feet above the plains of Mesopotamia, have now met again and become firm friends in Copenhagen. The Englishman, Gerald Merton, devoted himself to the study of comets at Greenwich Observatory, and his pilot in the R.F.C. had a thrilling duel with a German aeroplane which he finally brought down in flames. He at once rushed to the aid of his enemy, whose name was Kruse, made him prisoner, and found to his surprise that the German was also an astronomer. After eight years the ex-airmen have just met again at a congress of astronomers at Copenhagen, and now are said to be inseparable.

## ON POINTS GERMANS WON JUTLAND BATTLE

British Writer Compiles Effective Hits of Contending Fleets and Awards Fight to Teutons

Would Great Britain's new triple-gun turret battleship Nelson and Rodney, which are to cost £6,000,000 each, be any use in battle? This question is suggested by some of the conclusions from the experience of the great war which are drawn by Mr. H. W. Wilson in his new book, "The Ships in Action."

"One of the surprises of the war was the frequency of hits on turrets, even at enormous ranges, and the tendency, where turrets were grouped in too close proximity for both turrets of a pair to be affected by one hit."

Mr. Wilson's conclusion about the battle of Jutland is that it was a success on points for the German arm.

His criticisms of British material follow in the main those of Lord Jellicoe, but he brings out one or two remarkable new points. "In the Seydlitz, a salvo rate of one round per ten seconds seems to have been maintained for a minute or so with the 11-inch gun."

Actual Salvo Rate

"An actual salvo rate of one salvo per fifteen seconds was attainable with the Berlingers' guns, and in battle against the Queen Mary she fired for a relatively considerable period one salvo every twenty seconds."

The British armor was a little better than the best German of equal thickness, but the German ships carried much more armor. The British shells did not penetrate armor as lacking in destructive power. The British torpedo did not explode immediately it hit the target. British magazine torpedoes were badly designed. British mines were weak and of unsatisfactory type. British admirals were, with one exception—Mr. Jellicoe, what Mr. Wilson thinks they were hardly to be expressed in polite language.

And yet Britain won the war!

Per Cent of Hits

No one has previously had the patience to work out the percentage of hits, the number of shells fired at Jutland. Mr. Wilson says that the total of hits made by German heavy guns was 129, or the equivalent of 3,597 heavy shells fired, which works out at 3.3 per cent of hits.

The total made by the British was 104 hits, with 4,598 shells fired (1,233 of them of 15-inch caliber), or about 2.2 per cent of hits.

The Germans fired 103 torpedoes and made three hits; the British fired twenty-four and made five hits. This is the sort of history writing which Mr. Wilson excels.

### DEATH OF WELSH POET

Elifon Wyn Who Captured Prize at Elatedfest for Nearly 30 Years, Passes Away

Elifon Wyn, the most admired lyric poet produced by Wales during the past half-century, died recently at the age of 79. He was a skilful craftsman with the Welsh stanza, and had won the stanza prize at the Elatedfest almost every year for the last thirty years. At the Elatedfest in 1906 he won a prize for a humorous poem. Once only did he compete for the chief bardic honor of the Elatedfest, and that was in 1906, but his poem was not chosen. He was a great heady against taste. Englishmen prefer Virginia tobacco, and although great strides in tobacco culture have been made in the Dominions, they cannot as yet produce Virginia tobacco.

Britain spends \$600,000,000 a year on tobacco, and she buys ninety per cent of it from the United States.

For nearly fifty years British exports have been trying to produce a tobacco similar to that of Virginia. It is in Nyassaland and Rhodesia that tobacco has been grown most closely resembling Virginia leaf in color, texture and aroma.

Nyassaland has 20,000 acres in tobacco. The exports to England have tripled in eight years. Last year Britain bought 7,000,000 pounds of this African tobacco, and the demand for it is steadily increasing.

Canada uses 12,000,000 pounds of home-grown tobacco yearly and sends 1,000,000 pounds to Great Britain. Ireland uses 7,500,000 a year and grows little. As for England itself, it grows tobacco of good size and fair appearance, but it is of poor quality.

In North Borneo several British companies are competing with the Dutch companies of Sumatra. The Dutch are making \$32,000,000 a year in Sumatra by growing wrappers for cigars.

Last year six per cent of the total tobacco consumed in Great Britain was Empire grown.

## English Home of Former Governor-General



THORPE HALL, AT THORPE-LE-SOKEN, ESSEX. In connection with the conferring of a Viscountcy on General Lord Hylton of Vimy, who so recently vacated Rideau Hall, Ottawa, the above view of the home of the ex-viceroy couple in this lovely Essex countryside will prove interesting.

### WORE HER SONS' MEDALS

Bereaved Mother's Three Decorations Calls For Sympathy of His Royal Highness

When the Prince of Wales was inspecting a guard of honor of ex-servicemen at an English Legion headquarters at Hull, during his recent visit to that city, a widow proudly wearing medals caught his eye. The Prince asked if the medals belonged to her husband. She replied that they belonged to her three sons, who all lost their lives in the war. One died at home from wounds, a second was killed by a shell, and the third was reported killed after being reported missing for two years. The Prince listened with sympathetic attention, and, obviously touched by the tragic story, shook hands warmly with the bereaved mother.

## WELL-KNOWN ENGLISH ORCHID EXPERT DEAD

Lieut.-Col. Sir George Lindsay Holford, Former Royal Equestrian, Passes Away

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir George Lindsay Holford, who died recently, was born in 1860. Educated at Eton, he joined the 1st Life Guards in 1880, and in the same year he became an expert in orchids. He was made an equestrian to King Edward, and eight years later he became equestrian to Queen Alexandra. Sir George married in 1914 a daughter of the late Arthur Wilson, a Tranby Croft, Yorkshire, and widow of Mr. John Graham Mehlitz.

Formerly Colonel commanding the Life Guards, he was very popular throughout the Cavalry Brigade. His service dated as far back as the South African War.

He cultivated all sorts of rare trees, shrubs, and plants, and was well known as an expert in orchids. He introduced many new specimens to Britain, and his orchid-house and gardens were famous.

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## PREMEP REGAINS HIS GOLDEN STOOL

Top-Hat Church-Going Causes Stamp in Matrimonial Annals of First-while Ashanti

Ex-King Premep of Ashanti, who was deported to the Seychelles Islands and after twenty-five years exile was allowed to return to his country two years ago, is to be installed as Paramount Chief of the Kumasi Stool.

The Governor of the Gold Coast, who informed Kumasi chiefs that Premep could be installed as Paramount Chief, has telegraphed to London, says Reuters.

"The news was received with great joy and with expressions of deep gratitude and fervent loyalty to the King."

An episode of Ashanti history covering thirty years thus ends in Premep regaining the rule of Kumasi, which he lost in 1897. He is now administered through several paramount chiefs.

Premep is now a convert to the Anglican Church. His courtship manners make it difficult to believe that once he was the terror of Ashanti.

When in England, before his return home, Premep said he had had several hundred wives, but had given them up when he became a Christian and decided to go to church in a top-hat.

The Kumasi Golden Stool, on which Premep had been enthroned, was when the British discovered that the natives regarded it as sacred they made no claim to it.

## WEST END WAITERS WEAR RED JACKETS

Elton Jackets of Flery Color Replace Dingy Looking Coats at London's Cafes

All the waiters in a group of hotels in the West End of London, and in the provinces, have gone red. The management has decided to dress them in red jackets, with silver buttons, instead of the familiar and often seamy black tail coat.

It was the recent newspaper discussion on the qualifications of waiters' uniform that prompted the decision, said a director of the hotel, to a Standard representative.

"It is almost impossible to keep the black tail coat clean for any length of time, and the dingy appearance of the waiters at provincial hotels is a byword."

"These new jackets, which resemble a mess jacket or an Elton jacket, are made of twill material, which is washable, and without losing its color. The buttons are detachable. The shortness of the jacket makes it far less liable to uncleanliness than the tail coat. Black trousers are worn with it."

### TWO ROYAL RIVALS

His Majesty and Prince of Wales Set Different Patterns as to Wearing Watches

In wearing a wrist watch for the first time in his life, King George has stimulated a custom which was expected to die out after the Prince of Wales deserted the wrist timepiece for a platinum pocket watch and chain. The King is using a small square watch mounted in platinum, which is held on his wrist by a small black strap. The Prince of Wales for some time has favored a thin platinum watch and thin platinum chain, which he wears both mornings and evenings, and his example has been followed by many young men about town. Now that the King is wearing a wrist watch, it is expected that the wrist timepiece will be worn by many more.

Quantities of broken household pottery were unearthed, together with pots, pans, strainers and jugs. Of articles other than those associated with culinary pursuits a corbel, a small bronze pin, a bronze brooch, a bronze bracelet, a bone knife handle with ring and dot markings, one-half of a bronze tweezers, two bronze ear-rings, three bronze cauldron fittings, a bronze hammer made from the base of a larger vessel, a pottery stopper in red stone, a redware and greyware respectively—together with what appears to be a projecting ring of a field snail, a key, a horse spur and a horse's bit, a razor, a knitting needle, some flat-headed nails and other as yet unidentified objects.

The rubbish pit has been only partly explored, and so rich have been the returns to date that operations in this neighborhood will doubtless continue.

### FREE CHURCH PEERS

Leicester Congregationalists Suggest Additional Members for House of Lords

The suggestion that Free Church ministers should sit in the House of Lords was made in the presidential address of the Rev. F. W. Newland at the conference of the Congregational Union at Leicester recently.

### Roman Coin Found

A small brass coin of Constantine I, found at Farnham, Essex, and which covered the office of Queen Carolina have been presented to Colchester Museum.

Gold Too Expensive

Gold mines in the Sudan are being deserted, the cost of carrying the metal by camel being too expensive.

## LINK WITH MAYFLOWER

Celebration in London Commemorates Association of Pilgrim Fathers With Southwark Church

A celebration has recently been held at the Pilgrim Congregational Church, New Kent Road, London, to commemorate the association of the Pilgrim Fathers with Southwark. A church founded in 1616 by the Rev. Henry Jacob sent out the London members of the Pilgrim Fathers, who joined those from Holland in the Mayflower in 1620. The congregation at home, surviving in spite of persecution, had in succession various meeting places, that of which, the present Pilgrim Church, was built in 1864. Americans have taken an interest in the church. It contains a memorial stone, given by Dr. Cyrus Hamlin, of New York, to commemorate the day when the Pilgrim Fathers in the Mayflower first saw land.

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## COLLAPSE THREATENS HEREFORD CATHEDRAL

Parapet of Sacred Edifice in Dangerous Condition Through Rotting of Stone

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# Blood Won't Tell

Having Prided Herself on Being a Wise Mother, She Consented Gracefully to Her Son's Engagement.

By RUTH HAWTHORNE

Illustrated by Rex Maxon

IN the short time it took the elevator to ascend to the twelfth floor of the magnificent pile that sheltered the James Forrests, Katherine Cathaway was occupied with its striking contrast to her bedroom. They were about the same size, but there all similarity ceased. The elevator's address was Park Avenue, somewhere in the Sixties. Her bedroom was in one of the less pretentious apartment houses of the upper West Side, and was, in fact, nothing but a converted kitchen, for which she paid Mrs. Hollins ten dollars a week.

Looking over the elevator carefully, Katherine decided it would be more acceptable in every way as a sleeping chamber than her little nest. It didn't have a dumbwaiter running through it, with loud creaks, every morning from six o'clock on. But why worry? She probably couldn't afford the elevator, anyway, so better be content with her kitchen. Which brought her to the door of the Forrest apartment, and James Forrest, Jr., who had apparently been spending the afternoon there waiting for her.

"Darling, how are you?" Jimmy asked her. "Fine. I was just wondering how much I could rent your elevator for." Jimmy didn't pay any attention to that remark. Katherine was always saying things that didn't mean anything, and besides he supposed she was nervous. He'd be nervous, too, if he were going to meet his mother for the first time. He kissed her again and pushed a little button in the wall. In no time at all, a vision of true elegance appeared around the corner.

"Jennings," said Jimmy, "tell Mrs. Forrest Miss Cathaway is here." Jennings bowed and withdrew. Katherine took him in with the flick of an eye. She had known that Jimmy's family had money, but she hadn't been prepared for a Jennings in buttons and a white stock. She decided then and there not to tell Mrs. Forrest she had had designs on her elevator. A wise decision, she was convinced, when Mrs. Forrest made her entrance. One does not jest with large, regal-looking women whose figures, despite the most modern of corsets, give one an inclination to hum "Why Do They Call Me a Gibson Girl?"

"Mother," said Jimmy, "this is Katherine."

"Ah!" said Mrs. Forrest. "So this is Katherine!"

"Yes," said Katherine, and hoped that was the right answer.

"Katherine Cathaway, isn't it?" said Mrs. Forrest, getting away to a new start.

"Yes, Katherine Cathaway." That sounded all right.

"Ah, yes! James has been telling me what an interesting person you are, Miss Cathaway. James, dear, ring for tea. Sit there, Miss Cathaway."

Jimmy rang. Katherine sat. Mrs. Forrest arranged her person on a small sofa, in the manner of the elderly daughter of a hundred ears about to be photographed.

"Now, Miss Cathaway," she said, "do tell me all about your work."

"My work?" asked Katherine feebly. "Yes, James has been telling me that you are taking up that most fascinating of careers, the stage?"

"Oh!" said Katherine. "Well, at present, I'm not taking it up exactly. It seems to be letting me down."

"I beg your pardon? Letting you down?" Mrs. Forrest was frankly puzzled, with a suggestion of being slightly outraged as well.

"I mean—I guess Jimmy hasn't told you. I'm looking for a job, and I don't seem to have much luck." Katherine smiled what she hoped was a wistful smile. If she could only manage to be wistful enough, the afternoon might be a success. "But the smile was difficult to maintain. Mrs. Forrest was not one for whom wistfulness had any appeal, she feared. Katherine turned and smiled at Jimmy. It was his turn to do something about the conversation.

"Studied in Paris?"

"You see, Kate," he said, "I told mother you had studied in Paris."

"Ah, Paris! There one truly learns the art of elocution," broke in Mrs. Forrest. Katherine started to explain that she had studied in Paris at the tender age of eight, and any elocution attempted on her part had been confined to reciting such deathless lyrics as *Je suis, tu es, il est*, but Mrs. Forrest was going on, and it seemed a shame to interrupt her. "Ah, Paris! There is no place like it, is there?"

"No," said Katherine, "there isn't."

"Such beauty, such chic—" Mrs. Forrest paused for thought. Oh, yes, she had it now. "Such joie de vivre."

"Yes," said Katherine. "I agree with you absolutely. But then, I find London almost as stimulating."

If she could only keep to the capitals of Europe, Katherine thought, Mrs. Forrest might forget the stage, for something told her the lady would rather never know how unsuccessful an actress her future daughter-in-law had been. One brief season as a Cockney maid, and a brilliant performance as one of eight ladies-in-waiting in a third road company of a musical comedy playing one-night stands in western Pennsylvania, were her achievements to date.

They had exhausted the conversational possibilities of Rome, Madrid, St. Petersburg, and Katherine was trying to remember the name of the capital of Rumania, when the light of inspiration suddenly gleamed in Mrs. Forrest's hitherto gleamless eyes.

"Why, my dear child," she said, "for a girl of your age you do seem to have traveled a great deal."

"Yes, I have been around a lot. You see, father's work took him all over. He was—was—"

Katherine's name was only momentary, but when once Mrs. Forrest was on a scent she was not to be confused by any shifting of the wind.

"Oh!" she said. "He traveled? For some firm?"

Harmless enough words, but there was a bland quality of tone in Mrs. Forrest's very cultivated voice that made Katherine feel as if she had just rinsed her face in some strong astringent. If, two minutes earlier, Mrs. Forrest had had Jennings bring in a nicely sharpened pencil and a printed form beginning "Name—age—color—" Katherine would cheerfully have filled it in. But questioning done, no matter how subtly, in the guise of idle chatter over a cup of tea, would lead Mrs. For-

rest nowhere with one Katherine Cathaway. She might be her darling Jimmy's mother, but right then and there Katherine decided that, for all of her, Mrs. Forrest could continue to think her father had sold canned soup the length and breadth of Europe.

"I think traveling's great," said Jimmy, who was congratulating himself on how splendidly his mother and Kate were getting on. He had been just a little worried about this meeting.

Mrs. Forrest went on, as if Jimmy hadn't spoken at all. "So you father was a traveling man. Traveling is so broadening. It must have been hard for your mother. Always going from place to place."

"Why, I think mother enjoyed it," said Katherine. She smiled, but there was nothing warm about that smile. Mrs. Forrest thought, perhaps just now she wouldn't talk any more about families.

"Jimmy, what time is it?" Kate asked. "Quarter to six. You don't have to go yet?" Jimmy wanted to prolong this delightful occasion. Any one with half an eye could see that Kate had made a hit with his mother. He hadn't heard her ask any one so many questions in so short a time since he could remember.

"Yes, I am afraid I really have to," said Katherine. She felt pretty hopeless as she got up to go—rather as if she had been sitting in a draft all afternoon.

"Good-by, Miss Cathaway," said Mrs. Forrest. "You must come to dinner tomorrow. We will be quite alone. Just the family, and I want—" here she laid one hand on Jimmy's arm and one on Katherine's, in a noble gesture of King Cophetua's mother blessing, slightly against her better judgement, his union with the beggar maid—"I want Mr. Forrest to meet his new daughter."

A Serious Bohemian

Katherine wasn't as happy as Jimmy about the afternoon. The trouble was that her meeting with Jimmy hadn't prepared her at all for what Mrs. Forrest had turned out to be. It had taken place in a studio in Washington News, to which Jimmy's quest of Bohemia, sedulously pursued during his mother's absence at Palm Beach, had taken him.

Jimmy had taken his duties of Bohemia seriously, for Jimmy's was a serious nature. But it was a charming one, too, and the air of perfect repose that always accompanied him, aura *due*, had made him seem to Katherine, the first time she met him, a combination of Siegfried and John Barrymore—in fact, the ideal man. Kate was just a little fed up with young men who talked neuroses, and equally tiresome ones whose conversation was confined to home-made gin and the price of the last case of Scotch. She had begun to think the world held no others.

And Jimmy hardly talked at all. He just always saw that she had a comfortable chair and a clean ash-tray, and asked her to come to tea to meet his mother the first time she met her. No other young man that Katherine had known in the two years she had been in New York had even mentioned his mother to her. So with no effort at all, she found herself agreeing to meet Mrs. James Forrest, Jr., before she had known him a month.

Katherine hadn't given Mr. and Mrs. Forrest, Sr., much thought. It had been so easy to drift along, going to parties and dinner with Jimmy, and enjoying the sheer, exquisite luxury of knowing that once again there was one person at least, who cared if she lived or died, or had her umbrella with her when it rained. She hadn't cared

surrounding herself with what she called worthwhile people, and then tried to figure out how far it would have taken her if she had used it in some productive business, say in establishing a milk route of the better class, or opening up unclaimed lands. Kate was sure that there would be enough left over to maintain an All-American Repertory Theatre.

An Ambitious Woman

It gradually dawned on her that she must have been an awful blow to Mrs. Forrest, and she was grudgingly forced to

asked as to her father's way of making a livelihood. Yet, she never quite got over that feeling of the window being suddenly opened on a cold night when she caught Mrs. Forrest looking at her across the roomful of people. And Mrs. Forrest was always having roomfuls of people—the right people. That was her idea of happiness and success.

Katherine carefully computed the energy and money Mrs. Forrest expended in

uncertainty know as looking for a job. A said way to pass the time from ten till four every day, but Kate often felt that visiting the Forrests was even sadder. So it was that Katherine, in no happy frame of mind one afternoon in the early Spring, sat by herself in a corner of the Forrest library, watching the comings and goings of that section of the upper strata which favored Mrs. Forrest with its patronage.

Mrs. Forrest was being more than ever the perfect hostess that day, for the sun



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was shining on her in the person of a visiting Englishman, a Mr. Trevor, whose mother was of importance in London. It had been rumormongered that the faint aroma of a title clung to this young man, and Kate watched with interest Mrs. Forrest involving him in enough engagements for dinner to have fed him, his heirs and assigned infinitely.

Presently, as no one seemed to be paying any attention to her, Kate went across to the living-room to amuse herself, until Jimmy should arrive, by looking at the music. Now the living room was furnished—decorated should be the word—in an overwhelming Italian manner, with the piano partly concealed by a huge davenport, since, of course, no decorator worth his or her salt can bear the sight of a piano. Mrs. Forrest had insisted on having it somewhere, though, and the stage was set, in true Sheridan spirit, for the big situation in the second act.

There was Kate, engrossed in a book of Russian songs, just as Mrs. Forrest and Mr. Trevor came in from the library. They failed to notice her as they sat down on the davenport. They had passed from dinner to careers Jimmy's, to be exact. Something told Kate she should make her presence known before life became too difficult. They'd be talking about her next. That always happened at moments such as these. And, as she gave birth to that profound thought, it did.

"Of course," Mr. Forrest and I began in letting young people live their own lives," Mrs. Forrest was saying, and Kate didn't miss a syllable.

"Quite—oh, quite! You're perfectly right," said Mr. Trevor, speaking as a grandfather with a long line of young lives in the hollow of his hand. Which struck Kate as silly, for he didn't look any older than Jimmy.

"Of course, we consented to dear James' engagement," Mrs. Forrest went on. "What could we do, Mr. Trevor? But I must confess, although I wouldn't for the world have anyone know it, that we can't take this engaging—this engagement, I mean, quite seriously."

"Oh, I see!" said Mr. Trevor. And then, as Mrs. Forrest seemed to demand further speech from him: "You mean—you think, er—you hope it will be a dud?"

"Oh, dear me, no! Why, Mr. Trevor, did I say anything that implied that? Oh, dear me, no! I think Katherine is a charming girl—a charming girl!"

Just then, Kate decided that if the house burned down that very moment, she would not move so much as a little finger nail until both Mrs. Forrest and Mr. Trevor had been safely carried to the street. But Mrs. Forrest wasn't through yet.

"You see, Mr. Trevor," she said, "Jimmy is such an entertaining boy. He has so many artistic friends. Writers and people like that. He met Katherine at one of their parties. That's what worries me. She has no background. And don't you think, Mr. Trevor, that it is vital for a young man's wife to have some social standing and background?"

Before Mr. Trevor could decide the point, Mrs. Forrest decided that it was high time she went back to pour a second round of tea. But life held a little gladness for Kate, for as they were going, Mr. Trevor's pleasant English voice came floating back over the top of the sofa, bringing this message of cheer: "Oh, quite, but if the engagement lasts a bit, she may acquire social standing and background, I should think."

People seem to do that so quickly in New York, don't they?"

Have It Out With Jimmy

Katherine's first reaction to all this was to have it out with Jimmy the moment she got him alone. But Jimmy was delayed so long that when he finally arrived it was time for her to go. To her surprise, on the way up-town she found that the first blind heat of her fury had cooled and there seemed to be no way of bringing the conversation around to telling him that she thought his mother was a nasty old woman with no manners and less intelligence. So once more, she decided to just go along quietly for a little while longer. Jimmy was so restless and away from his mother and that museum of an apartment, he seemed such a tower of silent strength.

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He had plenty of opportunity to watch Miss Cathaway being taken into the bosom of the Forrest family. He sat across from her. Jimmy was at her right, and at her left, a mild young man named Stevenson separated her from Mrs. Forrest. Mr. Stevenson had heard just before dinner that Kate was an actress. That gave him something to talk about, and he was doing his best. His knowledge of the stage was limited to four years at Yale, and this seemed to him a heaven-sent opportunity

to do a little post-graduate work. On the other hand, Mr. Forrest—not wishing the fatal moment to come when Kate, if pushed too far, would tell him, yes, she had been in the chorus; no, not in New York, in Pennsylvania—was trying to lure his attention with minutely detailed questions about the health of all his family. Kate caught her eye, bowed just enough for one to have felt it was a bow, if one had been watching, say, as closely as Mr. Trevor, and turned to Jimmy.

Mr. Stevenson assured Mrs. Forrest that his second cousin Florence had completely recovered from her appendicitis of two years ago, and turned to Kate again.

"Tell me, Miss Cathaway," he said doggedly. "There is something I've often wondered. In fact, I think of it every time I go to the theatre—" He paused.

"Do you really?" said Katherine.

"Yes, every time. I understand how the managers find the stars. But what I can never make out is where they find all the people for the little parts. The sons and daughters and maids and detectives—you know what I mean. No one ever seems to have heard their names before, but they're always there. Do you know where they get them?"

Kate gave him a long look. Yes, he was serious, and in his right mind, what there was of it.

"Do you know, Mr. Stevenson, that is something I have often wondered about myself," she said.

Then Kate looked across the table, and seeing Mr. Trevor observing, grinned. Mr. Trevor grinned back, and that was the way it started. By the time the salad was on, Kate awoke to the fact that she couldn't sit there grinning every now and then at Mr. Trevor, who always grinned back. Something would have to be done about it.

Mrs. Forrest gave Kate a helping hand by putting Kate and Mr. Trevor in one car on the way to the opera. She took Jimmy with her, to sit beside a totally correct Miss Stevenson, who, Kate had a feeling, was destined by Mrs. Forrest to be his life partner, if and when she succeeded in pushing Kate down the elevator-shaft.

Things Don't Progress

But between Kate and Mr. Trevor things didn't progress, at least conversationally, on the short ride downtown. The others in the car were full of rapid wit and giggles. Kate sat silent, being one of those tragic people who love music so completely that, by choice, they always arrive before the overture and sit mute before their idol until the last violin gets up to go home. And tonight was "Tristan and Isolde," and they wouldn't get there until long after nine o'clock. Kate, with sinking heart, realized the bitter truth; the others would continue to be witty and to gurggle all through the second act and insist on leaving to get to somebody's dance just when it was time for Isolde to appear in the last act. As for Mr. Trevor, he seemed content enough to sit and occasionally look at Kate's quite lovely profile.

When they were at last collected, wraps off, in the box, the love music was melting into the sailor's chorus that marks the end of the act. And as Kate heard that last, breathless, "Tristan—Isolde," she hated all those stupid people and their fuss about who was to sit next to whom. How did she ever come to get herself mixed up with them, anyway? And then she looked at Jimmy, and she smiled his slow smile, and into that smile she read a lot of things that probably weren't there at all.

It was much later, well into the second act, when Isolde and Tristan were singing together what Kate had always thought was the most beautiful music in the world, that she turned her head a little, without thinking, to see if Jimmy heard it too. But Jimmy's blonde head was bent toward Mary Stevenson, who was telling him about a very important luncheon she was planning, and by Jimmy's face Kate could easily see that he agreed with Miss Stevenson. Correct decorations required a great deal of thought.

Two large tears welled slowly up in Kate's eyes. She tried to concentrate on the headed embroidery of Mrs. Forrest's shoulder-straps, not two feet in front of her. No help at all. The tears were going to roll down, and Kate remembered that her handkerchief was in her evening cape. And what was even more alarming, two more tears were rapidly taking the place of those that were about to roll off the tip of her chin.

At the moment when she had succeeded in getting up enough courage to lean over and shamelessly dry her eyes on the chiffon ruffle of her dress, she felt a hand coming around the back of her chair, and in that hand was a simple square of linen, such as is sold by all the best shops on Bond Street. The hand stayed only long enough to deliver the handkerchief and to give her hand a delicate, if somewhat shy pat, and then returned whence it had come.

And that was the last Kate saw or heard of Mr. Trevor that evening. He vanished, before the lights went up for the intermission, with one of the gigglers, who dragged him off to meet some people across the house. And, true to form, in the middle of the third act someone murmured something in Mrs. Forrest's ear about "Such a shame, but we promised the Frothinghams we'd get there early."

In the hubbub of leaving, Kate asked Jimmy to take her straight home in a cab. She thought it wise to go quickly and quietly before she killed anybody.

On the way home, Kate wept again—all over Jimmy's collar this time. He was so sweet and dear and restless about wishing aloud that he was making enough money, that minute, to run away and get married and take her out of this terrible life of hunting and living in such a terrible place that Kate didn't have the courage to tell him that what she was weeping about was not the terrible life she was leading, but the terrible life she would lead when she was Mrs. James Forrest, Jr.

The Next Day

The next day Jimmy went to Boston, so, when the telephone rang for Kate about four, she knew it wasn't a call from him. It was Mr. Trevor. And it seemed perfectly natural to have him say that he'd like a cup of tea and wondered if she wouldn't, too.

Kate said she would, with no hesitation at all, and didn't even bother to wonder how Mr. Trevor had found out where she lived or her telephone number. Neither did she stop to think whether it was significant that she refused Constance Delafield's offer of her new Spring coat, but went bravely forth in last year's coat. She wouldn't have gone to the opera the night before if Connie had happened to need her evening cape herself.

It seemed so natural to be having tea with Mr. Trevor and Mr. Trevor seemed to enjoy it so much that, just as naturally, they decided it would be nice to dine together. Later they went back up-town to hear "Scheherazade," which, they had discovered along with a lot of other things at dinner, they both cared deeply for. Then what should they meet, as they were walking down Fifth Avenue after the concert for a bit of air, but a hansom, with a sorry-looking horse and sorrier-looking man on the box. They felt so badly about the poor man that they took him for an hour's drive through the park.

The first three days after Jimmy's departure Katherine watched the mails for a letter from him, but none arrived. Then it dawned on her that, come to think of it, Jimmy was not the type to whom the pen is mightier than the telephone. The most she could expect would be that he would call her up occasionally at great expense, and that after much interchange of "Hello!" and "Yes, I can hear you," he might go so far as to say he missed her. Even that was doubtful. And, after that, since no call came, she never really thought about him until the day before he was due back, two weeks later.

In the mornings she still looked for a job, and then, about four, she would go back to Mr. Hollins, press out her only decent silk dress, and go to tea with Mr. Trevor.

They never made engagements further ahead than tea the next day on parting, but that seemed a good enough system, for tea always carried them on to dinner, and so on through the evening. At dinner they looked through the columns of advertisements to see what was offered in the way of music or moving pictures or theatres, they liked them all. And then, sometimes, they danced, or drove in the park, or rode to Staten Island and back on the ferry.

And always they talked—such talk as Kate had been used to in her father's house and had come to think she would never hear again—wise talk, gay talk, foolish talk, with laughter running through it.

Katherine was home early the day before Jimmy was to return. She expected to have tea with Mr. Trevor and was mending a dress—with Connie Delafield's help. Constance knew all about Jimmy and Mr. Trevor. The telephone rang, as usual, at that hour, it was Mr. Trevor. Connie gave Kate a keen look when she came back for her mending.

"Well, old lady, what are you going to do with him when your James gets home from Boston?" That from Constance.

"What's today?"

"Today's Wednesday."

"Oh, Connie, is it?"

"Yes, it is. And tomorrow's Thursday."

So Jimmy was coming home tomorrow! That afternoon at tea, both Kate and Mr. Trevor seemed under a cloud. Kate didn't know the nature of Mr. Trevor's cloud, but she knew all about hers.

"Have you seen the Forrests lately?" Kate hoped to get her voice as casual.

"Eh? Oh, yes—I had lunch with Mrs. Forrest at the house today."

A long silence.

"How is she?" from Kate.

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# The Failure of Success

Wealth and Power—Achievement Beyond the Wildest Dream—But What of Pleasure in Life, of Happiness?—The Example of "Old Flint"

By HARVEY O'HIGGINS

Illustrated by L. F. Wilford

"The hunger of egotism is never filled. It grows as it is fed. The more it gets, the more it has to have. With a gigantic success, it merely develops a gigantic appetite. Meanwhile, all the other instinctive desires of the normal human being are starved and frustrated."

"A man needs affection, love, friendship, and the kindly regard of his fellows; and his need of them is as deep and as compelling as his need of success and power and egotistic self-expression. He cannot be happy without love and friendship, any more than he can be happy if he fails and is miserably defeated in his natural ambition."

"To speak in the language of the psychiatrist, all the energies of a human being are developed either by the desire for power or by the desire for love. Success in both produces what we dream of as happiness."

"To be happy, a man must have an adequate feeling of self-sufficiency based on a consciousness of power, as well as an adequate feeling of his sufficiency for others based on the evidences of their love."

"A loss of love leads to a greater striving for power, and a loss of power induces an increased seeking for love, but no compensation in one field can repair a complete loss in the other, and a complete loss in either is always followed by unhappiness."

THERE is the busy husband who says of his wife and family: "What do they want? Don't I work my darned head off to give them everything in the world they need? I can't waste a lot of time with them—I'm too busy. I'm too busy getting them the money to keep them happy."

Also there is the father who says: "I have to leave the children to my wife. I can't take on the job of running the family too. That's her business. I have enough to do in my office—and more than enough."

Then you have the hard-headed and hard-boiled materialist who says: "My motto is to live so as to be able to look anybody in the eye and tell him to go chase himself. Having friends in business is a mistake. The people who want to be friendly, I find, are mostly parasites—blood-suckers. You get along better without them. You have to go it alone if you want to get anywhere. That's my experience."

## Not a Rare Type

To these and to others who have over much of a certain type of ambition, "Old Flint" is nothing short of a "horrible example."

Indeed, men very much like "Flint" may be found in every town and city on the North American Continent—although few have quite as much money or quite as much unhappiness.

The difficulty is that I can't offer him as a warning without disgracing him so that he will not be recognized. It is easy enough to call him "old Flint" or "old man Jones," since that is not his name. It's more difficult to disguise his life and circumstances without falsifying them.

Let us say that he began life as a teamster on a railroad construction job, out West. That represents the truth, exactly. Then, let us say, he became a railroad contractor, got into bridge-building and steel manufacture, moved to a city, made his first millions during the war out of steel and motors, and now rules his financial roost as president or vice-president or director of as many banks, companies and factories as any cock of the walk in New York's Wall Street.

## The Second Generation

Then the truth about his family could be put like this: He has three sons. The eldest, whom he practically disowns, is a handsome, hard-drinking sportsman, who has twice gone through bankruptcy and the divorce courts and now lives in the smarter circles of his city's society on the bounty of a rich widow who is too shrewd to marry him.

The second son, an effeminate and neurotic little snob, whom old Flint despises, draws a salary for acting as his father's echo on various directorates and executive committees. The third boy, much younger than the other two, is a big, lumbering jazz hound, who has not yet jelled and probably never will.

The oldest boy lives between a bachelor apartment, where his widow pays his rent, and the fashionable club where she pays his bills. The second son, a fustian-bellied bachelor, occupies Flint's country estate, and justifies his existence chiefly by his work on the house committee of the neighboring country club. The third boy lives with his mother in the city house.

Old Flint passes most of his time in his office, in hotel suites all over the continent, or in the private car that takes him up and down the land, directing and overseeing the enterprises and investments to which he devotes himself.

## Successful But Unhappy

He looks ten years older than he really is. He is ten times busier than he ought to be. He has ten times as much money as he needs. He is ten times as great a success as he ever hoped to be. And he is ten times more miserable.

Recently, he began to develop melancholia. He developed with it a functional disorder of the heart for which the heart specialists could find no organic cause. Consequently, he came into the hands of a neurologist, who is also what is called a psychiatrist. And the neurologist discovered that old Flint is not a success at all but a failure—a typical American successful failure—the prosperous failure who has succeeded in nothing but the making of money—a horrible example, in fact.

The psychiatrist dug his story out of him in getting a thorough medical history of his case. Flint gave it up

curtly, hard-mouthed, with the contemptuous frankness of a cynic who would not condescend to tell a lie. But he did not know what he was telling.

## Fixing the Blame

He indicted and accused his wife, his children, his associates, life as he saw it, and the unjust disappointments that had left him a friendless and miserable old man. He did not realize that he was indicting himself, and proving his own guilt, and complaining because he suffered from the sentence which he had unconsciously passed upon himself.

of lounge lizard who is big and slow in the body and small and slow in the head. He is drinking all the time, in spite of his mother's efforts to stop him, and she blames Flint.

Her rancor against her husband is bitter and incessant. She makes his home so unhappy for him that he prefers to keep away from it. He tries to fill his life with the furious activities of business and finance, and he is as lonely as a blind Samson chained to his treadmill.

He considers all this with contempt. He is contemptuous of his wife, whom he rates as no such woman as his mother was. He is contemptuous of his sons, as typical wasters in a generation of weaklings. He is contemptuous of the conditions of modern life that have ruined his boys.

He despises the men with whom he works; they would all be at his throat, he says, the moment that they saw him begin to weaken. He suspects his friends of being friendly only for their own profit.

## A Hunger Unappeased

He confesses to the doctor, in effect: "No one likes me. People only come to me for what they can get out of me."

"He never faced the problems of egotism in his wife and children, and his failure with them drove him from his home."



His first failure was with his wife. As a girl she had musical ambitions, with which her father did not sympathize. She escaped his opposition by marrying Flint, who was then in the first flush of his success as a railroad contractor.

But as soon as they were married, she found that her husband was no more interested in her career as a singer than her father had been. He expected her to be the silent partner of a money-maker, subservient to his ambitions, as absorbed in the cares of a household as his mother always was, and satisfied to share unselfishly in his success.

## Developing Opposition

She began to rebel, but her rebellion was postponed by the birth of a son, and a second child ended her hopes of independence. She devoted herself to the two children, but she taught them a contempt for money-making and a love of culture. She attached them to herself, and she alienated them from their father, who had neither time nor inclination to win their affection. All he asked from them was obedience. All they received from him was orders.

That was his second failure.

The oldest boy revolted during his sophomore year in college. He ran away from home, married a fast woman, deserted her, took to expensive drink and elegant dissipation, and was soon a recurrent wreck, salvaged only by his mother's devotion. His mother blamed her husband for ruining him.

The second boy was too timid to revolt. He hid behind his mother, whom he adored, and he day-dreamed and wrote minor poetry till his father snapped him out of it and put him to work. He developed into a frustrated dilettante, with a strong critical sense that showed as snobishness, no virility, and the fussy incompetence of an old hen. He was peevish and dissatisfied and unfriendly with his mother, and she blamed his father for it.

## Lonely and Contemptuous

The third boy, meanwhile, she had kept entirely to herself. He started out to be a musician, to his mother's delight, but he grew wilful in adolescence, took to jazz and became the sort

I seem to have lost interest in life." And this is the invariable complaint of all the famously successful American failures who fall into the hands of these physicians of the mind.

mistake. He used his mind on his business enterprises like a scientist, with cool accuracy, undeluded by any traditions or by any romantic preconceptions; but he did not seem to use



"He began life as a teamster on a railroad construction job."

It amounts to the same thing, in every one of them. An ambitious young man starts out in life to make himself prosperous and successful. He is determined to obtain wealth and power and position. These are egotistic aims. If he achieves them, they will give him only egotistic satisfaction. They will never make him happy, by themselves.

his mind at all on his relations with his family or his friends.

## A Failure in Love

It never occurred to him, apparently, that success in his sentimental relations needed as much canny thought and watchful planning as his success in his financial affairs. He would know how to manage the egotism of a business associate, to placate it and out-

manoeuvre it and use it for his purposes, but he never faced the problems of egotism in his wife and children, and his failure with them drove him from his home.

## A Man's Needs

A man needs affection, love, friendship, and the kindly regard of his fellows; and his need of them is as deep and as compelling as his need of success and power and egotistic self-expression. He cannot be happy without love and friendship, any more than he can be happy if he fails and is miserably defeated in his natural ambition.

Old Flint, having conquered his wife, so to speak, by marrying her, undertook to drag her and her children as the slaves of his egotism at the wheels of his triumphal car. He expected his wife's love to be as self-sacrificing as his mother's, and that is a common mistake of the American husband.

He regarded his children's affection as some sort of inalienable right of his—which is another common American

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To be happy, a man must have an adequate feeling of self-sufficiency based on a consciousness of power, as well as an adequate feeling of his sufficiency for others based on the evidences of their love.

A loss of love leads to a greater striving for power, and a loss of power induces an increased seeking for love, but no compensation in one field can repair a complete loss in the other, and a complete loss in either is always followed by unhappiness.

## Destroying Affection

Old Flint's melancholia came from the lack of a feeling of his sufficiency for others—a feeling which he could get only from their devoted love or friendship for him. His failure inevitably depressed him, and his depression affected his heart.

His original mistake was made when he set out to achieve prosperity, believing that prosperity is success. It is the fatal mistake of the American of his type. He sees prosperity as success, and he dreams of success as happiness.

In his pursuit of prosperity, he fights his human need of love and friendship as a weakness that impairs his efficiency. He hardens himself against that weakness. He represses his natural love for others so that he may drive ahead more single-mindedly toward the goal of his ambition.

It is a curious fact that a withdrawal of love from others results in an increased love of self and an inordinate accentuation of ambition, so that the worldly success of such a man is often due to such a destruction of his affectionate interest in others. But this

destruction inevitably leads to unhappiness, and consequently the very thing that raises him to success is fated to condemn him ultimately to failure.

## When It Is Too Late

His failure is incurable. When love has been withdrawn from others and allowed to centre in love of self, it becomes fixed on self and cannot be made altruistic. In vain, the middle-aged Flint tries to draw men to him. With one hand he reaches out to them, but with the other he misuses them and drives them away. His loneliness needs them, but his egotism repels them.

It is equally in vain that he seeks women, in a second sowing of wild oats, to the accompaniment of jazz and bootleg whisky. There is no more hope of finding real love and friendship in those circles than of finding fair play among sure-thing gamblers. He tries to exploit the women and they exploit him. The final result is a corrosion of his egotism that leads to despair and a melancholy breakdown.

It is too late to win back his wife and regain his children. A gardener who has neglected his plants all Spring cannot obtain blooms in the Summer by going to his flowers and admitting his neglect. The love and affection that Flint needs, now, to make him happy, are blossoms that can only be produced by long and faithful cultivation. The growing season for them, in his life, has passed. His withered garden would not bear them now, no matter how he watered it with his tears. He has nothing but contempt and bitterness.

In short, he is a horrible example.

## Blood Won't Tell

(Continued from Preceding Page)

Mr. Trevor was engaged in what is known as toying with the gutter-knife. "Who? Oh, yes, Mrs. Forrest. I hope she chokes."

Kate gasped. "You hope she chokes?" Mr. Trevor was quite sure of it.

"Why? Because—well—just because she jolly well ought to choke."

Another long silence. Then Mr. Trevor again took up the conversation. "I say—are you really engaged to that son of hers, or does she just think so?"

Kate, in her turn, toyed with the teapot. Then with the water jug. Then the sugar bowl.

"I beg your pardon, what did you say?" "You heard what I said! Are you or are you not?"

"I—I am."

"Then I think you had much better marry me. Will you?" Mr. Trevor stopped her from more toying by the simple expedient of holding both her hands.

"I'd rather—But Jimmy—" Kate made a gallant effort to pretend to herself that Jimmy's would be a suicide's grave if she left him flat, like this, but somehow the illusion wouldn't come off.

"Yes—I will. Did you have a nice lunch with Mrs. Forrest?"

"I did not. Now that you're engaged to me, I'll tell you she thinks you're a pernicious influence. She says dear James is really in love with a girl called Mary Stevenson, but you lured him away with your evil theatrical ways. We had a frightful scene—then Heaven, she and I were all alone. I left before the sweet. So we are both outcasts, darling. Darling—waiter, the check—let's go for a drive in the park!"

## Son of British Peer

The following Thursday Mrs. Forrest was having her morning coffee in bed. At her side, on a little table, was a hand-mirror which she had just laid down with the cheering thought that she really looked five years younger since that awful Cathaway girl had broken her engagement to James, Jr. Now the dear boy would surely see what a sweet, dear girl Mary Stevenson was, and when they were married she was sure she could get his father to take a house at Newport, for all the Stevensons went there every Summer.

With a happy sigh, she picked up the paper to see who was dead this morning, or married, or—she stared.

SON OF BRITISH PEER WEDS.

MISS KATHERINE CATHAWAY Daughter of Princess Baltisoff Becomes Bride of the Hon. George Trevor in New York.

Her eyes passed from headlines to text.

"Miss Katherine Cathaway was married in St. George's Church, Stuyvesant Square, yesterday, to the Honorable George Trevor, second son of the Earl of Oldbury. Only a few close friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Trevor sailed for England later in the day."

"Miss Cathaway's father was the late John Hastings Cathaway, internationally known in diplomatic circles as a confidential representative of the State Department whenever unusually delicate negotiations were in progress. It was while he was engaged upon a mission in Petrograd, then St. Petersburg, that Mr. Cathaway eloped with the Princess Baltisoff, a member of the oldest Russian aristocracy, who gave up her title and her estates to marry him."

Mrs. Forrest fell back on six lingerie pillows. Freely she pushed the bell for Therese. Some minutes elapsed before Therese came, but even then Mrs. Forrest had only strength enough to murmur: "A little aromatic spirits of ammonia. Therese, please! I feel as if I might faint."

## Heat at Altitudes

The tropics are not the only place to go for tropical weather. If man could ever get there, he would find a tropical climate far above the earth. At very high altitudes the air becomes extremely warm, according to Dr. H. H. Turner, Professor of Astronomy at Oxford University. This statement has been confirmed by observations of meteors entering the earth's atmosphere. Although aviators can only get a few miles off the earth's surface, and unmanned instrument-carrying balloons ascend no more than twenty miles, the observation of meteors, or shooting stars, extends knowledge of our atmosphere up to about fifty miles.

## Flying Lemur's Leap

The flying lemur of the Indian Archipelago, which is only about thirty inches long, can leap fully 300 feet by the use of the membrane connecting its limbs with each other, says Here and There.

## Scotch Again

Helen: "I fear I have made a mistake." Ruth: "Why?" "Jack proposed in a taxicab. The minute I accepted he paid the fare and we got out and walked."



# Uncle Sam Plays St. Peter



INSPECTOR CHARLES DREHER  
IN CHARGE AT BLACK ROCK

AN inspector in the neat khaki of the United States immigration service came down the aisle of the coach when the train stopped at Black Rock and stopped beside two Canadian jockeys who were seeking to enter the United States.

"Where are you going, boys?" And he leaned over them in the quiet way of such officials.

"New York City."

"Of what country are you citizens?"

"The United States." It was the taller of the two small lads who answered.

"And where were you born?"

"Baltimore."

"Where did you say?"

"Baltimore, Maryland, sir."

"I see. That's strange—will you please step off the train and come with me, both of you."

Now it happened that this particular inspector was a Southerner, from that South where they speak with a soft drawl and pronounce Baltimore as if it were Bawltimore. You may imagine his surprise when he heard it clipped out as if the first syllable rhymed with "asphalt"; and the indignation with which he yanked the pair of them off to face the Board of Special Enquiry.

It was bad enough to pretend that they were native-born Americans—though people were caught trying this subterfuge every day—but to make such a poor attempt at masquerading as Southern gentlemen was enough to fill the genial inspector's soul with horror.

"Most of the people who try to pass the border here," said the inspector in charge of the United States immigration service at Black Rock, which is in the environs of Buffalo, "know what the law is in regard to entry, but they have a holy fear of it. And eighty per cent of those seeking entry lie in some particular. They tell unnecessary lies when an absolutely straight story of their own standing and the nature of their visit would ensure them not merely permission to come in, but a welcome."

"What form does the lie take most frequently?"

"The sick relative is the best one. We hear that one perhaps most of all. Then there is the claim of birth in the United States. We find fellows saying they were born on our side of the line and at the same time they declare they have just come from 'Amilton and are on their way to 'H'ohio—Cockney who have never learnt the use of aitch."

**Expert in Detecting Dialects**

As a matter of fact—and it may as well be said by way of warning to people who may in the near future have any thought of trying to hoodwink the United States immigration service—that there are inspectors at Black Rock who have become so adept in distinguishing the brogues, dialects and intonations of Old Countrymen that they can tell the difference between a Yorkshireman and a Cornishman, or between a Belfast man and an Aberdonian.

"Are you a citizen of the United States?" The inspector spoke to a young fellow on the train.

"Yes."

"Where were you born?"

"Danesville, Ohio."

"But you talk like a Yorkshire man. You must have been born there."

"No, I wasn't. But my parents were."

And it turned out that he was telling the truth. But he had retained enough trace of his father's native Northumbrian burr to impinge on the sharp ears of the inspector.

This inspector, who has had seventeen years' experience, can stand at the entrance to a coach, look along over the people whom he is going to question, and classify them with accuracy. In fact, he sometimes makes a little game of trying such a mental classification and then checks up with his questioning to see how right he has been in his hunches. He and many of the other inspectors of experience have developed a sixth sense which makes them spot the liar almost immediately. They have an intuition for the true story. If residents of Canada seeking to cross the border for a visit or for permanent residence would only realize how quick-witted are these St. Peters who guard the gates to the

United States they would try subterfuge far less than they do.

The inspectors have many tricks for catching the liar. "What county is that in?" one of them may say to the man who declares he was born in Los Angeles or Dayton. And he is stumped if he is not telling the truth. The inspector himself may not know; the county—for the United States is a huge country with counties innumerable—but he does not need to know it. The person questioned presumes he does and dare not take a chance, even if his wits work quickly enough to try a fake answer.

"What school were you at there?" an inspector once asked a Canadian who claimed that he was born in a city which happened to be the inspector's own home town.

"Lafayette," answered the man like a flash. He had named the very school which the inspector had attended, but he pronounced it in a way no graduate would. So he came off the train and confessed his lack of truth.

**Treacherous Memories**

Another would-be entrant said he had been born in Rochester.

"How," asked the inspector coldly, "does the Erie Canal get across the Genesee River?"

The only reply he received was a blank look, though it was known to every child who ever lived in Rochester that it was by means of an aqueduct.

"Mother is dying. Come at once," or "Sister is ill. Keep calling for you," or "These telegrams—or messages—similarly worded—are frequently pulled out and shown to the inquisitive inspector. Of course, many a telegram is bona fide, but very, very many are not. They are fake messages sent by friends across the border with a view to hoodwink the American border officials, whom it is mighty hard to hoodwink indeed.

A new one was pulled the other day. An alien came along who claimed to have been a resident of the United States returning from a visit to Canada. His cap had been manufactured in Bethlehem, Pa. His other clothes all bore the marks of United States makers. He even pulled out a paper to show that he had sent from Tonawanda, N.Y., money to his wife in Rumania or some other European country.

But, of course, it was all part of a ruse, as the inspector quickly found on cross-examination.

The clothes had been sent across to him—and a friend had sent the money to his wife in his name to establish prima facie proof of his residence in the United States, a residence which he had never had, for he had never been across the border in his life.

It is a trick which is tried, with variations, very many times. No doubt it succeeds sometimes, but not enough to score heavily against the inspectors.

**Strategic Advantage**

The inspectors have always this strategic advantage in the conflict with those who attempt to crash Uncle Sam's gates, to force their way across his threshold even though he may not want them: the burden of proof is always on the entering alien. And the inspectors can either admit or reject.

If an individual inspector is doubtful about the bona fides of a person seeking entry or is not quite sure that he—or she—should be admitted, he may order him off the train and bring him into the immigration offices at Black Rock to face a Board of Special Enquiry. This board consists of three men, a chairman who is one of the inspectors, a second inspector and the secretary of the board. It has a right to cross-examine and decide on the applicant's fitness to enter the United States. There is no appeal from its decisions except to the Secretary of Labor at Washington, who—after reading a transcript of the evidence taken—will either uphold or reverse its decision. But there is no appeal to the courts from its decisions on questions of fact, though an appeal is possible to the courts on a question of alleged irregularity of procedure.

This Board of Special Enquiry may have only half a dozen cases in the course of a day or it may have fifty. Sometimes the cases come in bunches.



THE BOARD OF  
SPECIAL ENQUIRY  
AT BLACK ROCK

IT IS A KIND OF THIRD DEGREE THAT HAS NONE OF THE THIRD DEGREE'S BRUTALITY—FOR THIS IMMIGRATION COURT IS CONDUCTED WITH COURTESY

But it is a kind of third degree that has nothing of the third degree's brutality. For this immigration court is conducted with the utmost courtesy and dignity. But the examination is searching to the limit, and the man who succeeded in hoodwinking it would be clever indeed.

The members of the board sit at a table placed on a raised platform, the chairman in the middle. Facing them sits or stands the principal or individual who may be called as witness.

The chairman questions first. Then the other members may question in turn. At the end a vote is taken. It may be unanimous. Or it may be divided. But a majority of two members may admit or reject.

**Board Is Scrupulously Fair**

On the other hand, one of the members may suggest, "Let us place the alien in another room while we argue the point." And frequently one member of the board may argue in favor of the alien's admission when the other members are resolved on his rejection.

In fact, very often one member of the board will appeal to Washington against the decision arrived at by the majority. Indeed, the conduct of the board appears to be scrupulously fair, the inspectors—men apparently of experience, intelligence and common sense—being actuated only by a desire to arrive at the truth, and therefore at the exact rights of the alien from the viewpoint of admissibility.

"We find the great majority of people whom we examine very agreeable," said an inspector. "Of course there is the type of Canadian, who corresponds to the type we have in this country, who is inclined to shout, 'I'm a Canadian and proud of it.' We occasionally find such people a little objectionable. And the crabby ones who resent our questions are always headed for trouble."

"But of them all the lordly type of Britisher is the toughest. He's got an idea that Britannia rules the waves and that no one else counts for a nickel. He's liable to get up on his hind legs and holler for Lloyd George. Some of these fellows come along and say they are just going into the States for a visit. And they may only have fifteen dollars in their pockets. But when we ask them how long they think they're going to live on fifteen dollars, they say they have relatives who will support them during their visit. Old stuff! And they threaten us with the British navy when we turn them back."

Even if a native-born Canadian or a Canadian of Old Country origin should hoodwink the officials at the border and enter the United States illegally, he is liable at any time to find himself arrested and deported.

**Anonymous Informants**

"We get stacks of letters," said the inspector in charge, "telling us about people who are alleged to have got into the country illegally. Who writes them? Oh, all sorts of people. Perhaps there is jealousy or perhaps the alien is promoted to a job which someone else sought—it is an easy matter to drop us a line giving us the particulars and where the suspected person may be found. We investigate every case. Attached to this office are a number of inspectors, outside men, who investigate such cases."

Even as he was talking the telephone rang. It was a constable from Guelph, Ont., who had arrived at Bridgeburg to take back an alleged wife deserter who was wanted in that city. This man had slipped into the United States, had got into trouble, been sentenced to three months in prison, had had his origin discovered and had been turned over to the immigration officials for



THE INSPECTORS ARE GREAT STUDENTS OF ACCENT.

deportation. These last had already been asked for this man and now they were ready to turn him over.

Within half an hour the young fellow had been brought back to the Black Rock offices from the city jail. And five minutes later he was in the hands of the Canadian policemen.

"We are co-operating all the time like this with the Canadian officials," said the inspector in charge. "We are only too glad to do so. On the other hand the Canadians are always ready to co-operate with us. We have perfect reciprocity in the matter, and there never arises the least difficulty between us."

It appears that when a deportation is desired by the Americans the "Canadian Consent" has first to be obtained before the man or woman may be returned across the border. In other words, the Canadian immigration department sends an inspector who goes into the origin of the individual, searches his birth certificates, establishes the length of his former residence and satisfies himself that said individual has the right to be received by Canada before the United States immigration authorities turn him loose across the border. They hold him or her until Canada gives the O.K. for his or her return.

The Canadian officials extend a similar courtesy to the Americans when the roles are reversed.

**Canadians and Yankees**

Some of the inspectors claim to be able to tell the difference between some Canadians at least and some Americans. The average Canadian will say, "Where have you been?" whereas they claim, the American will say, "Where have you bin?" But this is not a hard and fast rule, and the inspectors agree that it is pretty hard to tell many Canadians from Americans. There is little to distinguish them in dress or speech.

Bribes are frequently offered these officers and just as frequently spurned. Many a well-known Canadian has been caught and turned back when trying to go across the border with company which he is not supposed to keep. And it has not been unusual for men like this to draw the officer to one side when discovered and ask that the affair be kept secret. The secret is not refused, but the money offered is refused.

The type of man employed in this service is above bribery. He is in the service because he finds it interesting and because he thinks the work he is doing is of value to this country.

Men like the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier or Sir Robert Borden are just as liable to questioning as the humblest Canadian who ever tried to cross the line. But men of that type or standing have only to declare their identity to be passed at once with every respect. Indeed, these officers at Black Rock strike one as having a very fine sense of proportion and as having an unusually fine knowledge of Canadian conditions.

For another thing, the immigration officers are often the means of saving elderly people from possibly hardship and hurt. It is not an unusual thing for them to come across aged folk whom Canadian relatives are sending forward—with little money in their pockets—to other relatives in the United States. There is no guarantee

that the latter will want them. And it is part of the duty of the United States officers to satisfy themselves that these people of this type are really going to be welcomed by their American relatives and that they are not likely to become a public charge.

An illustration will point the tale. A woman of sixty-five years of age reached Black Rock and told the inspector who questioned her that she was on her way to her daughter's wedding in New York.

That was all right; but how long was she going to stay?

"Six months."

"How much money have you?"

"Just fifty dollars."

That was all right, too. But how did the inspector know that the daughter, just newly married, would want her for six months. If she did not, how long would the fifty dollars keep her in New York? Not long, it was to be feared. How was she supported? She was supported by three children in Canada and two in the United States. Well, how did they know that the Canadian children were not trying to "shove her off" on the American children who might not want her? They had had many experiences of old people being "shoved off" in this way on Americans who refused them welcome to their homes.

"We want to protect old people like this as far as possible," explained an

inspector, "and at the same time to protect the people of the United States from having to assume the support of such aged aliens. So we ask for a bond in such cases of five hundred dollars guaranteeing support for six months on the part of the Americans designated."

In this case the old lady was directed to return to Toronto. The immigration officials got in touch with the daughter in New York, received word from her that she was ready to welcome her mother, and got her bond for \$500 guaranteeing support for six months.

Then they wired the old lady to come on. And she came on the next train and was graciously passed at Black Rock.

"This is a humane part of the work," said the inspector, "which interests us very much and which we are very glad to perform."

And so it's case after case, as one inspector said. These men are wise in the game with the wisdom of much experience. One thing is certain. It is idle for the Canadian to try to beat them at the game they know best. But if the visitor's intentions are honest—tell the immigration inspector an honest straightforward story and you'll have no trouble. As one of the inspectors expressed it:

"We are expected to use our heads, take abuse if necessary, get the information required and keep on going. Above all we are expected to avoid controversies with the traveling public."

So, the next time you meet one of those chaps in khaki who fix you with their eyes and ask all sorts of searching questions, answer him truthfully and good humoredly and you'll have no trouble at all in getting across the border—provided you qualify generally with the United States regulations in regard to admission.

## Cure Bites of Cobra

FOR many centuries the bare-footed natives of India have been at the mercy of their cobra de capello, as scientists call the world's most venomous and only hooded snake. The cobra takes a heavy toll of human beings, although few of the large number of deaths in the jungle are reported for statistical tabulation.

Unlike the American Redskin, who found antidotes against the rattlesnake, the Indians have no common knowledge of any herb or natural specific; the miraculous escapes frequently reported are usually due to the fact that the cobra, which fortunately gives warning by coiling itself in order to strike, either struck a glancing blow or only partly infected its victim because it had no time to replenish its poison sacs after injecting its venom into a previous victim.

But Western science, following the example set by Brazil, whose snakes for variety of venomous species rival those of India, is now farming cobras in order to manufacture antivenene. At a laboratory in Bombay cobras are robbed of their venomous secretions and, after they are injected into the blood of horses, an effective antivenene for humans is produced—the same process Brazil evolved. Unfortunately, this Bombay antivenene is only operative in the case of cobra bite, the wounds from other snakes requiring their own peculiar antivenene cultures.

The cobra of India has an elaborate mechanism for infecting its victims. Its teeth, which are grooved, form perfect hypodermic syringes, since they are directly connected with the poison sacs. When the cobra opens its jaws to bite, a syringe of bony levers operate automatically so as to swing the teeth, which lie flat in the mouth when not in action, downward and forward. Simultaneously the poison sacs are squeezed and release the venom into whatever substance the teeth are imbedded.

The method of collecting the poison at the Bombay laboratory is like that employed by the snake charmers of India, who thrill tourists by handling cobras with impunity or pitting them against its only enemy of the jungles, the mongoose or, as Kipling has popularized him, Rikki-tikki-tavi. This rodent is not immune to cobra poison; it owes its success in combat to its dexterity in seizing the reptile behind the neck and severing its spinal column.

The snake charmers render their cobras harmless by cutting out the poison sacs. The charmers, who come from a primitive jungle tribe, are now employed by the laboratory to rob captive cobras of their venom. A syringe full of the antivenene is kept ready for application; then the Indian opens the wooden box containing his captive snake and dumps the snake on to a

piece of matting. There the reptile promptly coils itself to strike, erecting its neck and inflating the famous spectacled hood and hissing.

Finding no object within striking distance in which to bury its fangs, the cobra flattens itself and starts to glide away. Immediately the Indian lays his four-foot bamboo cane firmly but lightly across the cobra's neck, pinning the reptile to the ground. He then grips the snake behind the jaws, raises the head with his left hand and, dropping his bamboo cane, seizes the lashing tail with his right.

Another Indian, who has been waiting with a syringe of antivenene in case of accident, now presents a glass cup, the opening of which is covered with a piece of thin, soft leather which is the artificial equivalent for the human or animal skin of the cobra's victims. The covered rim is thrust between the angry snake's jaws and it promptly strikes the leather with its grooved teeth, through which the poison is released from the sacs into the glass.

As soon as the yellow venom ceases to run, the glass is removed and a beaten egg is poured into the snake's gullet through a glass funnel, to appease it for its involuntary contribution to science, and to enable it to gain strength to recharge its poison sacs for the next "milking." Eggs are a favorite delicacy with cobras, as with all snakes. While as a rule cobras keep out of the way of humans as much as possible, they are often induced by their love of eggs to frequent human habitations.

After the venom is drawn it is next injected into the blood of horses; that blood has the power of rendering it harmless. The blood is periodically drawn, purified and stored in sealed capsules and becomes available for injection into the victim of the cobra bite. Hitherto outside Brazil the only convenient remedy, and one universally used by Europeans, has been permanganate of potash, which can be carried either in crystal or in tablet form and applied to the wound as soon as possible after the cobra has struck its victim.

## Her Fifth Supper

As he took his fair dancing partner down to supper she seemed to hypnotize the waiter who was serving them. He seemed incapable of taking his eyes off her.

"I say, my man," the dancer observed at last, "what makes you stare so rudely at this lady?"

"I ain't rudeness, sir, believe me, I ain't," returned the waiter. "It's genuine admiration. 'It's genuine admiration. This is the fifth time she's been down to supper tonight."



## First White Girl Born in Alberta Tells Story

By ELIZABETH BAILEY PRICE

The first white girl born in Alberta is still living. She has changed her name from Clara Victoria Hardisty to Mrs. Jean Graham, and her present abode is the city of Calgary.

She was born in 1858, at the little Methodist and Hudson's Bay post at Victoria Park (named after a Crow Indian chief) some eighty miles east of the present city of Edmonton.



She was the first and only daughter of the late Senator Richard Hardisty, and his wife Elizabeth McDougall Hardisty, who is still living today.

Her father was the chief factor of the Hudson's Bay Co. at Fort Edmonton, and was sometimes known as "Red Head, the great master of Beaver House."

He was the first Senator of the Northwest Territories, which position he occupied until October, 1889, when he met a tragic death by being thrown from a buckboard while on an inspection trip.

Her mother was the daughter of that intrepid first Methodist missionary, the Rev. George McDougall, who in 1824 was frozen to death in a blizzard, a few miles east of Calgary.

Until she was fourteen years of age, when she was sent to a ladies' college at Hamilton, she had never seen apples growing on trees, or grapes or tomatoes.

She never came home for her holidays for it took her three months to catch the train back. When she went "out," she was accompanied by her father down the North Saskatchewan River in York boats, her father inspecting the forts along the way. They stopped at Cumberland House, on the Cumberland Lakes, which is a widening of the Saskatchewan River. They then portaged about the mouth of the Saskatchewan when they reached Lake Winnipeg. Here they caught the steamer to Selkirk, thence to Winnipeg and then east by the railroad.

Her earliest memory is of the "Big House" at Fort Edmonton, for when she was six months old her father received his appointment as factor at Fort Edmonton, and they moved at once.

On arriving there they found their home was to be the "Big House," inside the palisades of the fort, this known as "Rowand's folly" because of its pretentiousness. It was three stories high and had a big hall, room, factor Hardisty had this torn down and his own "Big House" built, on the present site of the Alberta Parliament Buildings, commanding a magnificent view of the wooded banks of the North Saskatchewan River.

The windows were protected by wooden shutters. The doors and locks were heavy and the ponderous keys weighed close to a pound. It was three stories high, with an attic, and had a huge living-room with a great fireplace made from brick imported from England. There were in all four fireplaces, two upstairs and two down, and these, together with a large Carson stove and a kitchen range, heated the house. The furniture was all home-made, a great many articles having been fabricated by Factor Hardisty himself.

In the summer Mrs. Hardisty planted flowers and vegetables, all growing well in the rich black loam of this fertile valley. In 1882 a real conservatory was added and this filled with blooming plants was a lovely sunroom, made even more attractive by a number of singing canaries.

**Traveled Most of Summer**  
In 1906 this beautiful historic house was burned to the ground. When the first white girl in Alberta was old enough to go to school on the river flats, which was in charge of Dr. Verey, one of the physicians of the Hudson's Bay Company, who taught the children of the Company's staff. Life was full of adventure for her. In holiday time she would accompany her parents on their long trips. The whole family would pack up bedding and food and travel most of the summer months, when her father made his inspection trips.

She learned all about making camp. At first a site was selected near water and fuel. Then the buffalo hide teepees were put up in a few moments and a comfortable camp was learned from the Indians. Roughs were cut and placed on the ground. These were covered with a heavy tarpaulin. On top of this were placed the buffalo robes, Hudson's Bay blankets and pillows made from the feathers of the wild fowl.

Occasionally she went on a winter trip. In the very coldest weather the men would get out of the caribou and make camp. Then, when a roaring fire was going, they would signal the women and children—and sometimes there were babies, too—to get out of the comfortable alleys into the more comfortable camp. At night the men took turns keeping up the fire which was built in front of the teepees. With this protection the pioneers defied the deepest depths of the Northern Winter. In the summer traveling was done by dog sleds and horses or by ox carts. In those days the women drove almost as well as the men, and always helped unharness the animals and pitch camp.

In winter, dog teams were used. Factor Hardisty was famous throughout the country for his dog teams. He not only raised his own dogs, but made all the harness and whips. One of his teams made a record trip of fifty miles to Lac Ste. Anne at an average rate of fifteen miles per hour.

In these long trips across the prairie, Factor Hardisty always insisted that the women and children go first, while the men followed in the rear in order to protect them from any traveling bands of unfriendly Indians.

The first white girl remembers one long trip back across the prairies when she was six years old. It was at this age that she had made her first trip East in order to stay with her grandmother McDougall, while her mother accompanied Grandfather McDougall to England on a trip in the interest of the Mission. They were returning by the Carleton Road, her mother driving a buckboard and they were accompanied by a Miss Young, who was coming West for her health. They were following the mail driver, who was acting as guide. He sped quickly along and was soon lost to sight. Night came on and at last Mrs. Hardisty, leaning to go on, pitched camp. They built a fire and these two women and one child had their supper of dried meat

and tea and stayed the night alone in what might be called a "howling wilderness." In the morning they drove on and caught up to their guide, who was waiting for them.

The rivers were high and they were crossed by the horses swimming and carrying passengers and freight in the wagon boxes. They were met by Factor Hardisty at Fort Pitt, 120 miles east of Peckan.

**Danced Red River Jig**  
Her food was mostly meat and game—buffalo, pemmican wild duck, fish—and also wild fruit of every kind that grew in abundance in the river valley. Her clothes in summer were made of Hudson's Bay prints and every dress had its sunbonnet to match. In winter she wore a dark blue blanket coat, made from the Company's blankets, with a capote, white woolen stockings, duffels and moccasins kept her feet warm in the coldest weather.

In those days Edmonton was the great transportation clearing station for the whole of the Northern fur district of the Mackenzie, Athabasca and Peace Rivers. All the supplies for the North had to go through it, and it was necessary that these go forward on the strictest schedule, for their arrival was literally a matter of life and death in the Far North. This was carried out to such a high point of efficiency that missionaries, their wives, traders, employees of the Company, and Indians in the great hinterland never had the slightest misgivings that their necessary supplies would not be forthcoming. Nor were they ever disappointed, for Factor Hardisty was an organizer and administrator beyond the ordinary.

This meant, too, that everyone who went "down north" on the Mackenzie River, and the official residence of the Hardisty family was one continuous noise party. Everyone enjoyed the life there. In the winter there was always skating and tobogganing. Factor Hardisty made his children's skates.

New Year's Day was the big day. For miles around white men, Metis and Indians would come to the Fort. After skating on the river and tobogganing down the big hills, all would be invited to dinner at the Big House. Preparations had been made days ahead. Huge roasts of buffalo and reindeer meat, beaver's tails, buffalo tongues had been cooked. All sat down to the great feast, after which the half-breed fiddlers would start up the Red River jig and dancing would continue in the big living-room all night, while the great logs roared and cracked in the fireplace. The children, too, had their birthday parties. The first white girl in Alberta had one to which the children of the Fort were invited. A good many of them were half-breeds, she says.

"But we didn't mind that for children know no race or creed." They played the old games of Blind Man's Buff, and Pussy Wants a Corner. But above all they loved to dance. Everyone learned to dance at an early age, and during the winter many a dance went on all night. Even today she is one of the few people who can do the Red River jig.

As the year progressed, Chief Factor Hardisty met the changing conditions. Flour and lumber mills were instituted. Cattle were imported after the last migration of the buffalo in 1876, thus making the Hudson's Bay Company the pioneer ranching company of the West.

In 1883 to 1885 he became "master" of the Hudson's Bay Company at Calgary, and the family were moved to that post. It was at this time that the first white girl had her first Western photograph taken. It was in the costume of "Queen of Hearts," which had won her a prize at a carnival. Calgary at this time was in its infancy as a village, the railway having just reached there.

She remembers the announcement made at the church that the Blackfeet were threatening to arise and join Riel in the second Riel Rebellion of 1885. The hardware stores were all opened and all firearms in their stock purchased. She remembers her father, who was a personal friend of Crowfoot, the Blackfoot Chief, saying he thought it was all a "hoax."

After this she remained many years at the school in the East, spending her summers with relatives at Cobourg. Here she met her future husband, who later came West and was in the service of the Hudson's Bay Company. In 1894 they were married and lived in Edmonton until 1908, when they removed to Calgary, where they have lived ever since.

## Trial Marriage Proved Failure

By W. L. E.

In the trying of spiritual knots Rev. Dr. W. L. Armstrong, pastor of Trinity United Church, Toronto, has had many peculiar experiences. That which he accounts his most unusual was in connection with a marriage ceremony he performed while pastor of a church in Edmonton. And well he might so consider it for it was the double-barreled description of peculiarity: it had uniqueness both before and after the ceremony was performed.

One day, while seated in his study, Dr. Armstrong received a visit from a prairie farmer who wanted to arrange a date for the performance of a marriage ceremony. "You see," explained the man, "my position is this: Five months ago I lost my wife, and I've been up against it good and hard ever since. I want a woman around the place who will milk the cows and do the chores. I heard about this woman, went to see her, and she has consented to marry me."

The ceremony was duly performed, but three months later the groom, much perturbed, again entered Dr. Armstrong's study.

"Say, Mr. Minister," he exclaimed as he nervously twisted his hat, "do you remember marrying me to a woman a while ago?"

"I do. You married the woman because you wanted her to milk the cows and do the chores. Am I not right?"

"That's it. But, say, Mr. Minister, she's a perfect terror. She won't do scarcely anything I tell her. And yesterday she seized a gun and threatened to blow out my brains." Then after a moment's pause, and evidently possessed with abject fear, he pleaded, "I'm afraid she'll kill me. For heaven's sake, can't you call that marriage off?"

And the man's perturbation increased still more when it was intimated that marriage meant "till death do you part."

## TALENTED CANADIAN MAKES GOOD



HELEN L. Williams is a Canadian woman—a Torontonian—who has made a dignified and prosperous place for herself as an interior decorator in the city of New York. But she grimly states for the benefit of those who earnestly desire to do likewise, that "it hasn't been as easy as rolling off a log!"

When asked to send a message of advice to budding young Canadian artists in her line of endeavor, the lady laughed, and said, "My advice to the Canadian youngsters is the same as Punch's advice to those about to marry. 'Don't!'"

"The competition here is terrific; the discouragements cruel, and infinitely more so today than when I first tackled New York, with my way to make as an artist, and my bread-and-butter to earn as a hungry girl."

"There are greater rewards for the few who succeed, but the odds are against you."

The difficulties and sacrifices necessary to success in New York may best be elucidated by a short sketch of the lady's career, to date.

A daughter of the late John S. Williams, of Toronto, Helen L. Williams matriculated from Jarvis Collegiate Institute in Toronto in 1901. She then enrolled as an art student at the Toronto Art School, where she studied for three years, achieving the distinction of a teacher's certificate. In 1904 the Canadian girl went to New York to study at the New York Academy of Design, where she was a student until 1906.

Then Miss Williams, in this year, became a "working girl," as she expresses it, and "found that the theory that 'heaven will protect the working girl' is a fact, so long as the working girl has a job!" So the young artist worked steadily at anything which came her way. For four years she earned her living in designing patterns for dress materials, chintzes, and even wall papers for New York manufacturers. The most satisfactory work and gratifying commission of this period was the designing and carrying out with her own hands of the theatre drop-curtain for the Henry Miller production of "Pippa Passes."

The design was submitted in competition with the work of many New York artists, and the substantial cash award was a source of great satisfaction to the self-supporting girl.

After four years of hard work and self-sacrificing saving of pennies, Miss Williams, in 1910, went to England to study further at the London Arts and Crafts school where, she says, she found the most valuable training of her career. She still works under the masters there whenever she goes to England. It may be said that this further training was a stern necessity if she would compete with New York artists.

Money getting low again, in 1911, Miss Williams returned to this side of the water, she filled a position as head of the interior decoration department with the Robert Simpson Company of Toronto. In 1913, having saved more of the needed, her savings were again spent in further study, in France, Italy and Germany.

When war broke out, Helen Williams "made a hasty getaway" to England where she worked at the Woolwich Arsenal in charge of a canteen for a year. Funds again getting low, she returned to New York, where, for a year, she worked as chief interior decorator in the R. H. Macy firm.

With her savings from this lucrative job, Miss Williams returned to England to "carry on" and "do her thing." Her artistic hands were again employed in "designing out soup and eggs," as she expresses it, until the Armistice.

Returning to New York she found that the powers that be at Macy's were willing to double her former salary if she would return to the fold, so she graciously acceded to their request, and apart from a nine months' expensive orgy of study at the same London school in 1920, the lady remained as head of their interior decoration department until 1923.

Miss Williams was fed up with being bossed," said Miss Williams. "So, for the past three years she has been a free lance, and her reputation has grown to astonishing proportions in that time, astonishing if one does not ponder upon her hard study under the best teachers, and the sacrifice which made that study possible."

Miss Williams specializes in the decoration of the country home of the rich American.

Needless to say, Helen Williams is a prosperous lady, and she has invested in a country house, on a small scale, of her very own in Connecticut, near New York. She spends her summers there, and her week-ends in the winter. It is at charming a place as one would expect the home of such an artist to be.

In New York, Miss Williams lives in an apartment which glows with amber and golden-brown and flame coloring. It has been said that she has a genius for color effects. Not far from her apartment is the workshop where her designs are carried out under her own eye. She has twenty or so girls at work, and a forewoman to whom she pays eighty dollars a week—considerably more than Miss Williams made herself, for many a long year.

Returning to the subject of advice to young people of Canada who are ambitious to follow the example set by successful Canadian artists in New York, Helen Williams had this to say: "There is only one thing which the most greedy of us can demand of fate: that is happiness. I tell you that happiness and contentment are diametrically opposed to the life-and-death struggle which makes so many young people in this city old before their time."

"I have worked for twenty years at my profession, and I have found a certain joy in the conflict, and in the very poverty which I endured for the sake of further study. But it is a long, long trail to success in New York, and so many who start out full of ambition and hope never reach the goal upon which their eyes are fixed."

## Tory Rally Held in Montana!

The Alberta Provincial election campaign has made history in at least one respect. Dr. G. N. Giles, Conservative candidate for the constituency of Warner, Southern Alberta, recently staged something which will go down in Canadian politics as unique.

The genial doctor wanted to stage a rally in the border town of Coult but there was no hall large enough to accommodate the crowd, his friends thought. Now across the line in the sister town of Sweet Grass, Montana, they have a theatre carrying the characteristic American name—Liberty.

So the Conservatives rented the Liberty Theatre and held their meeting—the first Canadian political rally to be held on American soil, as far as can be learned. Among the speakers was Senator E. McNeerney, Red Deer, and former Conservative leader. Above the good Tory orators were draped, fold within fold, the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes.

It should be added that sturdy Republicans cheered the visiting Conservative speakers.

## Chose Cold Instead of Hot--Lives in Paris

By WILLIAM H. INGRAM

"Which would you choose—if you had to freeze or roast?"

Giving the right answer, to that question enabled E. Blake McNeerney to become director of the Royal Bank of Canada (France), and the Dominion to have the whole of the west side of the Rue Scribe.

Paris owned or taken off from the Canadian corporations such as the Canadian National Railways, the Royal Bank of Canada and the C. P. R.

Of course that seems pretty far fetched, but it is true. The question arose when Blake McNeerney, Colonel Barre and M. de Bainville, after a foursome, tumbled into the shower-room of the Marly Golf Club and yelled for water. M. de Bainville, by the way, may be remembered by Canadians and especially by Torontonians as the man who bought 240 million mitts for the French Government from Canada during the war.

Mr. McNeerney said that he would have his douche cold, every time. He had expressed the same preference when driving off from the club house. Then he had been warned that if he sliced his ball it would fall into the lake.

"Is the water there cold?" he queried. Upon being reassured that it was, he replied: "Oh, well, then I won't slice the ball."

And he didn't.

That same evening he satisfied the curiosity of his partner about the cold question as they dined together on the piazza of his charming home in the Rue de Calvaire at St. Cloud, which overlooks the vast panorama of Paris with its turrets and spires and twinkling lights.

When the Home Office closed up its New York branch Mr. McNeerney was asked whether he preferred to freeze or roast, or in other words whether he would care to go to St. John's, Newfoundland, or to Port of Spain, Trinidad?

He chose the first English settlement in America.

Afterwards he found that what was considered to be cold was not so cold after you were in it, and the people of Newfoundland were fine people. It was not a demotion, but a promotion.

Eight months later he was given the Paris post.

The Royal Bank there will shortly move into its own building on the Rue Scribe, reek by jowl with the Hotel Scribe of the Canadian National Railways and the fine offices of the C.P.R.

"If any wonder then that I am not afraid of the cold!"

Helping himself to some ice cream, it was evident that he was not.

**Dr. Coue's Canny Action Avoids Trouble**

Dr. Braumont, surgeon of the liner Majestic, for many years, who has just published an entertaining book on "Ships and People," has a very interesting and helpful chapter on the subject of sea-sickness. He told the famous Dr. Coue that he would be delighted if he would try his famous aphorism: "Every day and in every way I am getting better and better," on a few third-class passengers.

"The dear old gentleman declined to go where the vibration was great, which was very canny of him, for perchance he suspected that he might himself go under."

Far from being antagonistic to doctors, Coue was in accord with them. During one voyage he was adviser to a lady whose troubles were more imaginary than real. However, she called in the author.

"Some times the 'rivals' met at her bedside and the situation was funny, if not complicated. At last, one morning we left the room together, and I was tempted to say, 'Friend Coue, don't you think that between my plasters and your 'passes' we are going to make an awful mess of this case? Don't you think we had better leave her alone?' He did not quite understand me, but when he saw me laughing, he said, 'You laugh—I laugh,' and he did heartily. As agreed, we did leave her alone. The last I saw of her was wrangling with the customs' officials on the dock!"

**Her Own Ideas**

Mrs. Murphy: I want to see some mirrors.  
Shop-walker: Hand mirrors, madam?  
Mrs. Murphy: No, some that I can see myself in.

## Epic of Mining Camp's First Paper



Left to Right: John M. McMeekin, Editor; Cyril J. Baker, Business Manager; F. R. Peterson, Web Editor; Mr. McMeekin and Peterson hold the "Planet."

Big metropolitan dailies sometimes tell the world about their achievements over insuperable odds. But in the whole history of newspapers in Canada there is none more interesting perhaps than the beginning of The Copper-Gold Era, by four young men, in the mining town of Rouyn, Quebec.

The new paper looks something like some of the New York magazines during the great printers' strike when they were photo-engraved from typewritten originals. Composed of two large sheets, folded to make eight about the size of a foolscap page, the paper is typewritten and printed by a duplicating machine.

The idea of starting a newspaper in Rouyn first occurred to Cyril J. Baker, and was discussed by him with W. H. O. Chapman and R. Peterson, with whom he was working on the survey of the new Noranda townsite across the lake from the town of Rouyn.

At first it was proposed to run a small sheet as a hobby, purely a local spare-time concern, but, finding that the idea was received so enthusiastically by both the business and the mining men of the district, they decided to make a serious attempt at producing a real paper. Peterson volunteered to walk to Chemin, a distance of thirty-four miles, and, taking the car there, go on to Kirkland Lake to get paper. At this time John M. McMeekin, known around the camp as "Scottie," appeared on the scene, and since he was more or less of an oldtimer in the district, and expressed great enthusiasm for the idea, his offer to join forces was accepted.

For their first issue the budding journalists borrowed a duplicator of the fold-over type, and since they had not thought of having their headings printed at Kirkland Lake, they had to pick out the title of the paper on the waxed stencil sheet with the point of a nail. As office and printing shop were in a club room, and since the ink they employed was of a very slow-drying kind, they were obliged to spread the copies on the floor to dry—a tedious process.

However, after some twenty-two hours without sleep, the first issue of the first Rouyn was put into circulation. Copies sold like hot cakes and excitement was great around town. Three hundred copies were printed, but so great was the demand that before the afternoon there were few left.

So far all had been more or less plain sailing, but from then on difficulties piled up at a tremendous rate, and it seemed impossible for the next issue to appear on the stipulated day, September 25. To begin with, through an unfortunate misunderstanding, the duplicator, which had been lent for the first issue, was withdrawn, and the publishers were faced with the serious problem of getting another within nine days of the outside. There was no other machine in town which was suitable, and since Rouyn has as yet no railroad communication with the outer world, the boat service up the Kinojevis from Angliers is suspended owing to the shallowness of the water, the only possible way to get an outfit in was via Chemin.

A wire was sent to Montreal asking for a duo who could be sent immediately, but it must have been twisted in transmission, for a ridiculous answer came back, asking for particulars by letter. Finally, it was decided that somebody must go to Toronto. Baker was chosen, and he set out for Chemin at midnight on Saturday, Sept. 24. Chapman accompanied him, Peterson and McMeekin remained in Rouyn to collect news and advertisements.

Baker and Chapman reached Chemin after a hard trip, Chapman going as far as Kirkland to get paper, this time with the title, Copper-Gold Era, printed at the head of the front page. Chapman returned to Rouyn on Wednesday and Peterson and McMeekin left to meet Baker at the end of steel and help to carry in the outfit.

It is doubtful if any of the three who left Chemin at 1.30 on Thursday would care to repeat the journey under similar conditions. Not that there was any lack of amusing incidents, but the Chemin Road at the present time is not by any means a suitable place for a pleasant stroll, nor did the weight of the typewriter and duplicator grow any less as the miles passed. Eleven o'clock found the party thirteen miles from town and on a stretch of road had enough to provoke an archbishop to profane eloquence. The batteries of their flashlights were nearly exhausted, making it impossible to distinguish firm soil from knee-deep muck. The muck was more plentiful anyway, since in the recent grading and ditching operations, clay from the ditches had been thrown on the crown of the road, and, of course, to make matters complete, it was raining a drizzle. It was decided to stop until daylight, so the pioneer newspaper men lit a fire in the bush and crawled beneath a rough shelter of brush. It began to rain in earnest then, and the discomfort of the next six hours was something never to be forgotten.

The printing of the second issue was begun immediately, when a cogwheel in the brand new rotary duplicator broke and it was found that the handle being useless, the drum must be pulled round. Saturday passed and Saturday night, and on Sunday, about noon, Scottie fell asleep by the typewriter and it was decided that everybody needed a rest. After a four-hour rest the job was again tackled and things progressed well, but slowly. These fellows were rather puzzled by the arena of activity taking place in the shack used as headquarters, and kept insisting that one of the staff go out and drink with them. Finally, the revelers were ejected and the door shut, a proceeding which seemed to hurt their feelings, since they spent the remainder of the night in hammering at the door of the shack and being refused admittance, in trivial words, the dozens of the occupants through antecedents, evidently, in their

## Mrs. R. K. Tory, 91 Years, and Her Three "Boys"



Mrs. R. K. Tory, seated, standing, from left to right, her three sons: John A. Tory, Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia; John A. Tory, President of the University of Alberta; and John A. Tory, President of the University of Alberta.

When the Tory boys foregather with their mother, Mrs. R. K. Tory, at Guysboro, N.S., as they do every summer if they are in Canada, there are doings reminiscent of the happy days of their youth. Mrs. Tory, who will be 92 years of age next Christmas Day, enters into the jollity and fun with the keenest of enjoyment. She is active in body and mind, uses glasses only for reading, and discusses events and all national and world-wide movements with zest and delight. The picture shows Mrs. Tory seated and standing behind her from left to

## Silencing Babies

Professor A. M. Low, of London, wants to put silencers on all the babies. He is a noise specialist and it was largely through his researches that the din in the London subways has been reduced. Now he is carrying his campaign into the nursery.

"The noise emanating from a nursery is irritating because it is usually at a high pitch," he observes. Dr. Low takes noises very seriously. "There was a time," he says, "when we welcomed the clatter of horses' hoofs on the cobblestones. But now we want rubber roads. We cannot stand the twitter of birds because it keeps us awake. We have prohibited noisy motors, loud speakers and the shouting of newsboys." At present the babies seem to be in for it.

**Mercy of a Maid**

Maid (at whose mercy Jones is left while his wife is on holiday): "I'm sorry there's only dry toast for your breakfast this morning. I put two kippers in the wicker last night, but the cat got in and walked off with them."

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# A Page For CHILDREN



## The Guest

"NOW, Pat," said Pat's mother; "Bobbie is coming to play with you today. Be kind to poor little Bobbie." This was spoken as a safeguard, for a former day's play was remembered by its sequel—a yelling Bobbie and an unyielding Pat.

"What do you mean 'kindly' by 'kind'?" asked Pat, puckering his forehead as no child ought to do. "Do you mean he's to have all my things, and he's to tell me to play what he likes and I'm not to box his cheeks?"

"Certainly not," said the Mother. "Box his cheeks indeed! His mother would never let him come again to play with a rough boy like you, if you treat him that way."

"He could box my cheek, if he wanted to," said Pat, "and he did, once—I didn't cry, so his mother never knew. But I bet Bobbie's a baby; he yells. I don't think I like him; he's nice when he comes, but he's not nice before it's time to go. Why am I to be kind to Bobbie, Mother? He's not kind to me."

"Because, while Bobbie is in your house, he is your guest, and guests ought to get the best. When you go to Bobbie's house you are his guest, and then he ought to give you the best. Now, do you see?"

"Yes," said Pat, thinking. "And when we go to play in the gardens, what happens there—can we be unkind in the garden?"

"You should never be unkind," said the mother, "but he is not your guest in the garden, so you may play your own games there—turn about, that's the way—first Bobbie's game; then yours."

"And then mine again," said Pat, "and why Bobbie's game first, Mother? Because he's older than me?"

"You are both six years old," said the mother, "but he is older than you are, two months—well, perhaps you first one day, and Bobbie first another day."

"And me first next time," said Pat.

"Yes," said his mother wearily, "and so on, turn about."

She was getting Bobbie on the brain, so changed the subject, which was not renewed until four o'clock.

At tea the two boys appeared to love each other, and the two small heads above the table were a delightful sight.

"You are my guest, Bobbie," said Pat. "What's that?" asked Bobbie.

"It's a person who gets all the best of everything, the pleasant answer, and does what he likes and people have to be kind to him. Sometimes they're not," said Pat truthfully, "but they ought to be—and when I go to your house, I'll be a guest, and I'll play what games I like and I'll take your toys, and—"

"Not my horse!" said Bobbie in a horrified tone.

"Not to keep," explained Pat. "Yes, your horse, any toy of yours I like, and you're not to smack my cheek like you did last time."

"You smacked mine, too," said Bobbie. "Yes—but guests can smack cheeks; you shouldn't smack guests' cheeks. May guests smack cheeks, Mother?"

"Certainly not," said his mother, "that would be very rude indeed, but tea is over—you and Bobbie can play with one another; all the toys are in the next room."

And two happy little boys they seemed to be, for actually half an hour.

The mother was deep in a book, when, at the end of the half hour, she felt the breath of a soft whisper close to her ear.

"Bobbie's beginning to be not so much," said the subdued voice of Pat. "I wish he wasn't my guest, Mother."

"But he is," said his Mother in a low voice. "Now, go back and be nice to him. I dare say you are horrid to him. Surely you can agree until half past five when his nurse is coming. What day he wants?"

"He says I won't be a guest when I go to his house because I'd take his horse, and it's not fair 'cos he's got nearly all my things. I'll have to be his guest; won't I have to be a guest, Mother?"

"Go back to Bobbie, at once," said his Mother, "and don't talk about guests any more. I'm sorry I mentioned the word; to whisper about a guest is worse than fighting with a guest."

"May a guest whisper about the other person, Mother?"

"No," was the answer. "Guests should not whisper about the person in whose house they are. They do, often; but a guest who whispers is a horrid guest. Go back to Bobbie—and Pat went, slowly."

Bobbie was seated on the floor, casting suspicious glances towards the door, and he seemed relieved to see Pat return alone. For a moment they looked at each other in silence—with hostile looks.

"Bobbie," said Pat, "Mother says that you are a horrid guest—you whispered, you talked to Teddy Bear, you knew I couldn't hear what you said, you wanted me not to hear—that's whispering; you don't know how to be a guest."

"I do," said Bobbie. "Give me that stick with the dog's head on it."

Pat looked at him, but handed it over. "I want that box," said Bobbie. It also was handed over. "I want the train," said Bobbie.

One by one the toys were piled in a dog-in-the-manger heap, and then Bobbie, astonished at his success, boldly looked round for more.

"Are you going to take all my things, Bobbie?" said a trembling voice.

"Yes," said Bobbie, "all I do know how to be a guest—give me the whip."

Now the whip was Pat's treasure, and to give it into the possession of another for even half an hour, appeared to him to be as keen a parting as if it had been for ever.

"No," he said firmly, advancing a flushed face more closely to Bobbie than before. "You have taken nearly all from me but I won't give you the whip."

"You must give me the whip," said graceless Bobbie. "I'm the guest."

There was a short silence, followed by a yell as the lash of the whip curled around the grasper's legs.

"He asked for it, he asked for it," cried

## "New Adventures of Old Friends"

By Miss Peggy Harvey



This is What Happened to Jack and Jill. Who Earned Their Fame by Climbing a Hill

### Tale of Sea Urchins

By B. C.

Once upon a time two little urchins lived together under the sea in a cave with a sandy floor. A nice home you couldn't imagine, for it had crevice shelves for a ladder with shell jars, and in the living-room were comfortable seaweed chairs with brown bladder-cushions.

One fine morning, the larger urchin said to the smaller, "It's really too sunny a day to spend at home, let's take our lunch and go to the mermaid's garden." So they packed some sandwiches in a limpet shell and set out.

The way to the garden was long and bright and strewn with many-colored shells, and by the time half the journey was over, the smaller urchin's legs were tired, so they sat down on a big stone to rest.

Just then a funny fat figure appeared, a thick red brown star-fish pulling a green weed cart. "Hello, urchins, good morning to you. My, but it's hot! And where are you off to so early?"

"Good morning, Five Fingers," answered the children. "We're going to the mermaid's garden to spend the day and we're taking our lunch." Five Fingers you must know is the garbage man of the sea, as he hears all that happens to the little people who live under the water. As the urchins started off, he called after them. "By the way, you might look out for a baby, old Mrs. Shrimp, who lives down at the corner, told me her youngest had wandered, and she couldn't find him anywhere."

"We will," they promised. "Good bye." The gardens were very lovely; there were green trees, ferns, towering almost to the surface, with myriads of tiny red fish, flitting like birds through the branches, and hanks of purple moss spread up the terraces as far as the eye could see.

"Let's go and look at the anemones," said the larger urchin. "They should be in full bloom now." So they climbed up the steps to the rockery.

As they drew near they heard whispering cries, and when they reached the top, a terrible sight met them! There was the

little shrimp pale with fright, held tightly by a large pink anemone. The urchins dashed to the rescue and pulled and pulled, but it was no use, the poor thing was caught, tight as a nut in a nut-cracker.

Then quick as a flash, the smaller urchin let go and held up the limpet shell; "Please, Miss Anemone, let her go! These sandwiches are of a delicious brine jelly."

The flower, being a greedy creature, promptly forgot her prey, and in her hurry to get the new delicacy, loosed her tentacles. Down tumbled the baby, shaken but quite whole. His rescuers stood him up and brushed him down, and in less time than it takes to tell, trotted him home to his mother, who was so glad to have him safe and sound that she forgot to scold! And how the family did thank the urchins! The Shrimp father shook hands over and over again, and all the elder Shrimp children shook hands, too, and insisted that they stay to dinner, which they did. And when they started out for home, long past their bedtime, Mrs. Shrimp gave them each a large shell of sea-apple marmalade and a fresh sea cucumber.

### First Coal Stove

Benjamin Franklin it was who first adapted the stove to burn coal. In 1742 he worked out the problem of providing an efficient draft to make it possible to burn wood in an indoor stove. In 1782 he altered the stove so that it would burn coal efficiently and with safety to the inmates of a house.

### Conversation

Conversation is an art worth learning. Its keynote is unselfishness. To speak without trumpeting our opinions and to listen without interrupting, are accomplishments which a selfish person finds difficult, but which must be learned before the charm of conversation begins.

## The Child at the Orphanage Gate

By MRS. HARRISON EKE

SCREECHY unmusical sounds mingling with hoisterous children's voices emerged from almost every doorway. Pungent odors of a morning meal in preparation oozed through every available crevice. Fractious infants, awakened all too soon, waited plaintively for sustenance to settle their very righteous grievance. Parents' high-pitched, raucous voices imperatively demanded silence, with no avail. Such was the usual pandemonium in Donohue's tenements on Christmas morning.

No. 127 perhaps was the only quiet apartment. It was strangely, pathetically, silent within. By the dining table, patiently waiting for father's appearance, stood a little girl of seven. She was very anxious to present him with a little gift she had purchased with her own money. Again and again she smoothed the tissue paper wrapping. She read and re-read the words, "To my dear Daddy," in her own handwriting. What a surprise she had in store for him, six lovely initialed handkerchiefs! The very things he needed!

Hour after hour passed, but still he did not come. The old grandfather's clock in the corner chimed the hour of twelve. The room was surprisingly and lastingly furnished, bespeaking better days. There was no answer to her repeated knocks on his bedroom door, no reply to her tearful announcement that "breakfast was set."

She was not acquainted with the tenants, which fact, at this moment, made her very undecided what to do. However, she was already dressed in a pretty silk frock, silk hosiery and dainty shoes. Scarlet ribbons kept her fair curls in place. Over her dress she put on a scarlet cape, a white fur stole and toque to match. Opening the front door very quietly, she crept out and closed it after her, hesitating a moment while she drew on her woolen mittens. Placing the silken cord of her little white fur muff over her head, she slipped her hands in, and then walked very sedately down two flights of stone steps to No. 98. By this time the tenants were astir. Much good humored railway was rife along the corridors. The sound of feet shuffling to and fro, brightly tones from gramophones and other instruments was heard as the doors opened and closed again. She ran quickly along to the home of the only little girl she knew, who had once befriended her when a group of children jibed her because she went to a kindergarten school.

A woman with black greasy hair pulled tightly back and twisted into a knob at the back of her head, with two unruly children clinging to her skirt, answered the door.

"Oh, please—"

"Hello," interrupted her friend. "Now, just you keep quiet," cried the woman, exasperated. "You'll drive me crazy."

"What is it, my dear?" she enquired kindly.

"Please," the little girl began again, "could you come at once? Daddy has been asleep such a long time."

Something in the child's pale anxious face urged the woman to accompany her without delay. She turned to the children who were staring with envious curiosity.

"Go and play with your toys," she snapped. "I'll be back in a minute." She pushed her two unwilling offspring back into the room, then stepped outside the door, pulling it to with a bang. Together they returned to the apartment. Opening the door, the child beckoned the woman, who entered, glancing hurriedly round the room as she did so.

"My Daddy is in this room please," politely announced the child, leading the way. The woman went forward and opened the door. The child returned to the sitting-room.

One glance confirmed the fact that life was extinct. She had often heard her girl speak of this child, therefore she knew she was motherless. It was her duty now to disclose the fact that she was further bereaved. Deaths in her own family lessened the poignancy of grief, but she sighed as she advanced to where the child stood expectantly.

"You're a little orphan now," she declared sympathetically. The child was stunned for the moment. She did not grasp the woman's meaning. With puckered brows, she stared perplexedly into space. "So 'm I," the woman sniffed, "I lost my parents this twenty years or more."

She picked up her apron and dabbed the corners of her eyes. "An orphan!" repeated the child, the meaning of the word becoming clear by the woman's allusion to her own family affairs. "Is my Daddy

dead?" she asked in scarcely audible tones. "Will I never see him again?"

"Land sakes, child, what questions you do ask," was the evasive reply. "Run down to my place. My Tilda and Georgie have lots of presents to show you. You can spend Christmas with us. Then, if you have no friends, the orphanage is a real swell place for lonesome children."

She had children of her own, "and trouble enough they were too," she inwardly declared, which declaration relieved her conscience from adding to the number.

The child walked sadly from the room. Tears welled up into her large dark eyes. She knew now that for her there was no "Merry Christmas," no "Peace on Earth."

She was alone with the orphanage as her refuge. Again she descended the stairs and walked along the corridor. Suddenly the children she had been sent to spend Christmas with rushed out of their apartment, screaming and clamoring for each other's possessions. In their mad scamper they failed to observe the silent witness of their behavior. Terrified, she turned hurriedly and continued her way down stairs. At one of the landing windows she stood for a moment and glanced over the snowy landscape. In the distance, the orphanage was clearly discernible. In the background, Shirley Manor, the home of the Donohues, contrasted oddly with smaller residences surrounding.

After a moment's pause, she turned and left the scene. Hurrying footsteps were heard on the stairs. Thinking she was being pursued, she ran down the remaining flights of stairs out into the street. A few moments later, breathing quickly, she stopped at the orphanage gate. She made a frantic effort to enter but failed. The lock was out of her reach. Twenty minutes passed. It seemed to her an hour. A smart automobile drove past. A short way away it turned and came back and stopped just where she stood. A girl about fifteen years of age alighted and smilingly approached.

"My goodness, little one," she exclaimed brightly, "aren't you nearly frozen?"

"My feet are cold," was the timid reply. "Are you waiting for someone?"

"Would you please open the gate?"

"Of course I will; but what do you want to go in there for? It's an orphanage."

"I am an orphan," the child informed the girl in a choked voice. "I want them to take me in." The girl eyed the daintily attired, self-styled orphan with a shrewd glance. "Where have you come from? Surely there must be some mistake!" She did not look like the usual applicants who presented themselves at the orphan's home.

"Donohue's Tenements," was the quiet reply.

"That is my name. My father is the owner," confessed the girl.

"Then, please, do you know my Daddy?" the child asked eagerly.

"Oh, no," was the prompt reply. "I never go there. It is just possible my father knows of him." The interested young lady began to feel chagrined. A shrewd glance at her shoulders and took the child's hand in her own.

"Come along home with me. I am all alone this Christmas. I will find out about your Daddy."

The pretty little forlorn creature needed no second bidding. Hand in hand, they entered the waiting auto. The chauffeur drove off again.

Comfortably seated, the girl enquired, "What is your name?"

"Gwendoline Josephine Forbes. My Daddy and Mummy called me Joey." "How strange! That is my name, too!" A wan smile crossed the child's face.

In a short time they arrived at Shirley Manor.

"Oh, Mamma," cried the girl excitedly. "We have a visitor for Christmas after all!" Her mother arched her brows and frowned as her daughter presented the child to her, explaining their meeting and her prompt decision to bring her home.

"She is perfectly charming, Mamma dear. I am sure we shall all love her."

"Very remiss of you, dear," reproved the mother, "bringing a child into the house we know nothing of."

Mr. Donohue entered at that moment. He stood regarding the trio with surprise. "Who's your little friend, Gwen?" he asked.

"So silly of Gwen to bring a strange child home," interrupted his wife peevishly.

Mr. Donohue failed to take his wife's view of the child's presence and made it perfectly clear by seating himself and inviting the child to be seated also. Gwen, delighted, threw off her outdoor clothes and related all she knew of the child's story.

He father's thoughts flew back to twenty years ago. A little child very like the one by his side sat on his knee and called him "Papa." Years passed, she married against his wish.

He was disturbed from his reverie by his wife who arose and deposited her—

irritably by his side.

"Jim," she cried, "send the child to the kitchen."

James Donohue did not reply immediately. When he did, he made a startling disclosure.

"Alas!" he said, a strange drawn look on his face. "It will be a sad but peaceful Christmas. We have found Josephine's little daughter. The child who stood waiting at the orphanage gate is no other than our own little grandchild."

### Teeming Life

The amount of life found to exist in a quarter of a square mile of tropical jungle in British Guiana is almost incredible. In a square yard of soil 1,000 different forms of insect life were found.—Popular Science.

## THIS CANADA OF OURS

## "The Massacre of Lachine"

By J. S. MORRISON



THE CLEVER RAT WAS SUCCESSFUL. HE DROVE THE FIVE NATIVES RECKLESSLY THE VENGANCE WOULD BE REMEMBERED. NOT WAS IT LONG DELAYED. ONE DARK STORMY SUMMER NIGHT 1689 ABOUT 1600 PAINTED WARRIORS FELL UPON THE VILLAGE OF LACHINE.



EVEN AFTER MORE THAN TWO CENTURIES HAVE PASSED AWAY THIS CHASTLY MASSACRE IS STILL REMEMBERED. THE COMPANION OF THE FORT WAS IN MONTREAL. ON HIS RETURN NEXT DAY THE HOUSES WERE STILL BURNING AND THE BODIES OF THE SLAIN AND TORTURED LAY AROUND.



A THRILL OF HORROR RAN THROUGH THE COLONY. MANY MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN NOT MURDERED, WERE CARRIED OFF TO MEET A TERRIBLE FATE AT IROQUOIS CAMP-FIRES.



DENOVILLE THE INCOMPETENT WENT HOME, BUT BEFORE HE LEFT HE HAD ORDERED THAT BOTH FORT MACABRA AND FORT FRONTENAC SHOULD BE DESTROYED AND REBANDONED. CANADA NEEDED A STRONG MAN AND NOT A HEARTED OLD FRONTENAC. NOW 70 YEARS OLD, WAS RECALLED. (CONTINUED)



# With Pastor and People

## Nigerian Missionary to Be Honored Guest Here

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor Giving "At Home" for Dr. A. W. Banfield, F.R.G.S., "Worthy Successor of David Livingstone"

Dr. A. W. Banfield, F.R.G.S., one of the most distinguished Christian missionaries in the foreign field, and who has become notable not only for his translations of the Bible into several native African languages, but on account of his explorations and discoveries of a geographical and ethnological character, is to be a visitor to the city next week, and on Friday, November 24, will be the guest of honor at a reception to be given by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor at Government House.

Dr. Banfield, who is generally regarded as a worthy successor in the African mission field to David Livingstone, has spent many years in Nigeria, where he has traveled extensively in the interests of his mission, with headquarters at Lagos. He left Africa less than a year ago, and his

present tour of the Dominion is under the auspices of the organization in whose interests he has done such splendid work in Nigeria. His coming visit to Victoria is anticipated with keen interest by all who are interested either in the spreading of the Gospel or in African exploration and all that both mean to the religious, political, and economic history of the world. He will be in the city two or three days, and arrangements are being made for a public lecture at which the story of the difficulties encountered in connection with the translation of the Scriptures into the little known African dialects and the dissemination of the spiritual meaning of the Bible will be recited.

It is interesting to learn that a Bible House was established in Lagos in 1919.

### TEMPLE CONTINUES FOURFOLD SERVICE

School of Religious Education is Sabbath Feature at Social Centre—Three Addresses Today

Services at the Victoria City Temple are four in number, commencing with the regular session of the School of Religious Education at the church's social centre, Temple Hall, North Park Street, at 9:45 a.m. Mr. Bert Henden, the superintendent, has been very pleased with the loyal support of his staff, a fine group of men and women who themselves receive thorough training under the instruction of Mr. Fred W. Davey, who leads the teacher-training department. Mr. Davey brings the very best in modern thought and up-to-date scholarship to the teachers, who, in turn, translate this instruction into their interpretation of the Scriptures to the scholars of the School of Religious Education. Every effort is being made to emphasize quality in training, rather than to endeavor to secure a large Sunday School roll.

The morning service today will be held at 11 a.m., and the sermon theme of Dr. Davey will be "Grasshoppers and Giants." In the afternoon, in Temple Hall, at 2:30 p.m., Dr. Ernest Hall will speak on "Cancer and its Prevention." This will be a general meeting, to which both sexes are invited. Much interest is manifested in these lectures as shown by the large audiences attending.

At the evening service a concert prelude will be given to the gathering congregation from 7 to 7:30 p.m., Mr. Chas. Raine conducting. Dr. Davey's evening message will be on the subject, "Oh, What's the Use?" a common expression of many people who find life very baffling. Reserved seats are held until 7:30 p.m., when all seats in the auditorium are open for the general public. The services will not be broadcasted today. It is announced.

### Thanksgiving Banquet Proves Great Success

Nearly one hundred young people sat down to a Thanksgiving banquet given under the auspices of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Young People's Society on Tuesday evening. A very interesting musical programme was given during the evening which consisted of the following: Toast to the King, prepared by Miss Archie Wood, responded to by the singing of the National Anthem; solo, Mr. Trevett; toast to the Presbyterian Church, prepared by Mr. Ross; and very ably responded to by the Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay; violin solo, Mr. Earl Squire; toast to "Our Young People's Society," prepared by Miss May Crombie and responded to by Mr. Arthur Ridout; solo, Miss Jessie Longfield; Mr. Jesse Longfield accompanied the soloists. Mr. Archie Wood, vice-president of the society, made an excellent chairman. A most interesting feature of the banquet was the reception given

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Fox Show, Rabbit Show, Poultry and Pigeon Show, Cage Bird Show

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VANCOUVER EXHIBITION ASSOCIATION 410 Pender Street West Vancouver, B.C.

### Citadel Services Will Have Young Folk's Band

Commandant and Mrs. Jones will lead the meetings at the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, today. The Citadel Band, under Deputy Bandmaster Hornbuckle, will play at the Jubilee Hospital at 2:30 p.m., weather permitting, and the Young People's Band will substitute at the meeting in the Citadel.

On Tuesday evening a concert will be given by the Citadel Band in the Fairfield United Church, with the object of assisting the church funds. Another branch of young people's work has been started here, which takes in boys and girls from the age of eight years, the only requirement being their good standing in attendance at any Sunday School. The "Sunbeams," little girls under eleven years of age, meet at the Citadel every Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock; the "Chums," boys of the same age, meet on Saturday from three to four o'clock, and the "Guards," the older girls, on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Beginners for the newly-formed classes will be welcomed at the above hours, and information given regarding them by telephoning the commanding officers, Commandant and Mrs. Jones.

### NOTED MISSIONARY AT FAIRFIELD TODAY

Dr. F. T. Tucker, who served in African Field Made Famous by Livingstone, Preaching

Services of very interesting character will be conducted in Fairfield United Church today, with Dr. F. T. Tucker, one of Canada's most distinguished divines, in the pulpit this evening at 7:30 o'clock, and the Rev. W. L. Lee, the pastor, in the pulpit at 8 o'clock. Dr. Tucker has addressed all the special conferences which have been held across the Dominion, concluding with a conference in Vancouver last Tuesday and Wednesday, and everywhere he has had interested audiences listening attentively to his story of the African mission field made famous by the late Dr. David Livingstone, in which he himself has labored in recent years. On his present tour of the Dominion, Dr. Tucker is accompanied by his wife, and his visit to Victoria has been much looked forward to.

Mr. Lee's subject in the morning will be "Task of Colonial and Imperialism." At both services there will be special music. In the morning there will be a duet, "Just As I Am," by Mrs. Gertrude Watt and Mr. J. W. Butler; and the solo and anthem, "Incline Thine Ear," by Mr. Ivan Green and the choir. In the evening the male quartette, composed of Messrs. L. Abbott, S. Wells, J. W. Butler and A. Sullivan, will sing "My Shepherd," and the anthem "Rejoice Greatly" will be sung by the choir, with solo by Mr. A. Sullivan.

### Special Speakers to Be At Metropolitan Today

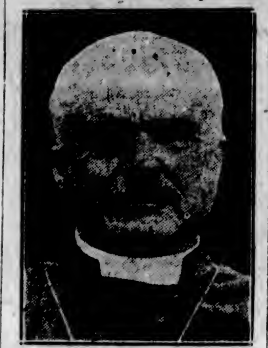
"Standing Out or Standing In" will be the theme of Dr. Sippell's evening message at Metropolitan United Church today. It will set forth the attitude one should take to the great enterprises of life and the pathway to true success.

The Rev. A. K. McMinn, B.A., formerly the associate pastor at Metropolitan, who has begun a successful pastorate at Kelowna, will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock. Dr. Tucker, a missionary on furlough from Africa, will address the Sunday School, and at 4 p.m. a great mass meeting will be held to hear Mr. George A. Warburton, of Toronto. A great day is anticipated at Metropolitan.

### Eastern Canadian At Oak Bay Today

Unusually interesting services will be held at the Oak Bay United Church today. In the morning Mr. George Warburton, of Eastern Canada, and a prominent delegate to the great Conference on World Service just held in Vancouver, will be present and will give an address. In the evening the pastor, the Rev. W. A. Guy, will preach, and is sure to have a great message for the large congregation that will hear him.

### Bishop of Huron Now Ontario's Metropolitan



Rev. David Williams, who was recently elected new Anglican Archbishop.

### PULPIT EXCHANGES IN THE CITY TODAY

Rev. Archibald Mackintosh, of Seattle, Exchanging With Emmanuel Baptist Pastor

With the object of promoting international Christian friendship, a number of ministers in the coast cities will exchange pulpits today. Canadian ministers will occupy pulpits in the United States and United States ministers will occupy Canadian pulpits. It has, therefore, been arranged that the Rev. Archibald Mackintosh, Seattle, will conduct the services and preach in Emmanuel Baptist Church both morning and evening today, while the Rev. Henry Knox will take Mr. Mackintosh's place in Seattle. The choir will sing at both services. Miss Essie Shampney will be soloist at the evening service.

The Rev. Henry Knox sat in the church vestry after the Thanksgiving Day to receive thankofferings from members and friends of the church. Children, young people and adults brought their gifts, which totalled about \$425.

### Judas Maccabaeus to Be Sung on November 30

The cause of oratorio in Victoria has been worthily upheld in recent years by the augmented chorus at First United Church under the leadership of Mr. Jackson Hanby. At least one, and sometimes two, performances of the standard oratorios have been given each season, and there has been a steady growth in the art of the chorus.

For rendition this Fall "Judas Maccabaeus" has been selected. A large and enthusiastic chorus has been rehearsing for some weeks, and a strong cast of soloists has been engaged.

This oratorio is full of inspiring dramatic music for both chorus and soloists and is perhaps one of the most interesting of the standard works from the point of view of both singers and audience. The performance has been fixed for Tuesday, November 30, and the place will be an usual be the auditorium of First Church, choir, with Wallace, an outstanding tenor, late of Vancouver, now located in Seattle, has been selected for the title role. He has a fine voice and should be right at home in the stirring "Sound an Alarm." Mr. David Ross, well known in Winnipeg and Vancouver, a singer of fine artistry, will sing the baritone part, and those who have heard this very capable singer will be looking forward with interest to his appearance on this occasion. Mrs. Lily Wilson, soprano soloist of the First Church choir, will share with Miss Mabel Humphreys the balance of the solo work. Both are well known to Victoria audiences and their work will be followed with interest. Mr. Alfred Gurney will, as usual, accompany at the piano and Mr. Edward Parsons at the organ.

### Young People's Service At St. John's Tonight

The various parish organizations, including the Anglican Young People's Association, the Beacon Girls' Club, the Boy's Club, will attend the evening service in St. John's Church today. The pastor, the Rev. E. A. P. Chadwick, will be the preacher.

An organ recital will precede the service, commencing when Mr. G. J. Burnett will render the following numbers: "Largo," by Handel; "Arioso," by Lemare; "Carillon," by Boyton Smith, and "Lider," by Mendelssohn. During the service the choir will render the anthem, "I Will Mention Thy Loving Kindness," by Sir John Stainer. Mr. Roberts taking the tenor solo.

### PIONEER PULPITS TO EXCHANGE MINISTERS

Pastors of St. Andrew's Presbyterian and First United Churches Transferring Today

This morning the ministers of two historic city congregations will exchange pulpits. The Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay, of St. Andrew's Church, will occupy the pulpit of First United Church at the morning service, and the Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, of First United Church, will preach in St. Andrew's Church.

The morning services will be looked forward to with much interest, and the two congregations will enjoy the message of fellowship and fraternal greetings conveyed by the respective ministers.

Special music has been prepared for these services, and large congregations are confidently expected. Farm Laborer (using telephone for the first time): Send me a bushel of oats. Voice Over the Wire: Certainly. Who are they for? Farm Laborer: Don't get funny with me, my man. They're for my horse.

## PEACE FOUNDATIONS LAID IN TURMOIL

REPORT OF BRITISH AND FOREIGN BIBLE SOCIETY WORK IN CHINA

Figures Show That During Year of Political Lawlessness Four Million Bibles Circulated

In the last annual report of the British and Foreign Bible Society, recently to hand, arresting figures are given of the greatly increased circulation of the Scriptures which has taken place in China simultaneously with the widespread political upheaval which is reported from that country. In regard to the conditions in the Far East the following statement is made:

"The attention of the civilized world has been focused largely upon China. There is no doubt that the Chinese people have deep and well-founded hopes that the future of the country will be determined by the hands of quiet thinkers and readers. Anti-Christian propaganda turned out to be many instances for the furthering of the Gospel in the midst of the little looks to find out what it was all about. We are able to report that 2,400,000 volumes of Scripture were circulated in China over the figures of the previous year, which was the highest on record.

"Commercial depression marked the year in Japan. Unemployment increased, with consequent unrest. Yet in the area for which our Society is responsible 24,000 copies were sold, nearly 40,000 more than in 1924. Korea was visited by the most disastrous floods known in fifty years, but the work was not interrupted on our part. In the face of these conditions, we were able to circulate 611,475 volumes, 6,000 more than the previous year."

Speaking of the Chinese people employed by the Society, the report says: "The sun never sets upon their activities. Many of them were given credit for their noble task. In China they use a singularly graphic word to describe the shame to which they are sometimes subjected. They speak of 'eating bitterness.' Not in China only, but in other lands these men frequently taste gall and wormwood, and glory in the name. Chinese colporteurs were occasionally beset by brigands, who robbed and stripped them. Yet there were men in China who sold as many as 15,000 and 14,000 Gospels during the year. Under happier circumstances, one man in Malaya sold 14,000 copies, and one in Greece achieved the sale of 21,000."

### Adult Bible Class Is Started at James Bay

In connection with the James Bay United Church Sunday School, an Adult Bible Class was commenced last Sunday and proved of interest. The class is taught by the minister, and the lessons pursued were those of the International Sunday School Association. The lantern services are having a happy clay upon both morning and evening congregations, showing that the interest is not merely in the pictures but in the tone of the message. The slides last Sunday evening were of the paintings of Titian and Copping, and were of extraordinary beauty. Today's illustrations will be of a high order, and will treat of the parabolic teachings of Jesus. These services commence sharply at 7 o'clock.

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### British Israel Society

The Victoria British-Israel Association will meet tomorrow evening at 8 p.m. in the King's Hall, 871 Yates Street. Mr. E. E. Richards will lecture on "The Stone of Destiny in Prophecy and History."

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## Christendom the World Over

A Weekly Review of Religious News

For seven years an evangelist, along with his wife, among the densest of the slums of Kobe, Japan, Toyohiko Kagawa, has now gone blind from contracting, while there the infectious disease of the eyes which is so common in the East. His life story (and he is now only thirty-nine years old) is a Christian romance. As a boy he left the home of a wealthy uncle because he wanted to study for the ministry of the foreign religion; as a young man he shared his possessions with the poor; worked his way as a servant through Princeton theological seminary in New Jersey, and then entered the slums of Kobe from 1917 to 1924, giving himself unparingly to criminals and outcasts in evangelism and social service. Here he wrote his autobiography in the form of a novel, "Before the Dawn," and here he was under government surveillance on account of his social service work.

A Christian Social Leader At the time of the earthquake and the fire Kagawa went to Tokyo to organize the "Christian Relief Work," and he is now going to Osaka to start a campaign for the freedom of the proletariat. Above all an evangelist working for the kingdom of God on earth, he is promoting the socialistic movement as a spiritual movement. He opened with prayer the first meeting of the "Tenants-Farmers' Union," which has for its motto the socialization of the land. He is an adviser to the Society of the Friends of Jesus, an organization which is distributing one million copies of books on the relation of Christianity to social justice. He is an advanced embodiment of the British Co-operative Movement, and is directing Japanese Christians to the application of the principles of Jesus to social and industrial life. Kagawa is an absolute pacifist. His latest book is "The Science of Love," a Christian meditation on life and love.

Baptists Successful Though Divided The most successful year in its seventy-five years of history was reported by the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec at last month's meeting in Toronto. From the small beginning in 1850 the work had grown until the year's income was \$107,000, with 150 missionaries working in 212 fields. The Diamond Jubilee Fund had gone to the work had grown until the year's income was \$107,000, with 150 missionaries working in 212 fields.

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## Story of World-Service At Centennial Church

The Centennial Church today will, as far as possible, bring to the people the story of the World-Service Convention just closed in Vancouver. In the morning Mr. Joseph Patrick and the pastor will present reports, and in the evening Mr. Geo. A. Warburton, one of the leading speakers at the convention, will give the address. Mr. Warburton comes with the reputation of being one of the strongest platform men. The choir has prepared a fine musical programme, consisting of anthems and duets. Today is one of very special interest at the Centennial Church.

### Theosophy and Man

"What Theosophy Teaches About Man" will be the subject of a lecture by Mr. William H. Griffiths, to be given this evening at 8 o'clock at a public meeting of the Victoria Theosophical Society, Independent, in the rooms 101 Union Bank Building, View Street. Mr. Griffiths is an old student of Theosophy and well qualified to present the subject according to the teachings of Blavatsky, as given in her "Secret Doctrine" and other Theosophical writings. The lecture will be followed by an open discussion and questions will be gladly answered.

A comedian stopped a newboy who was vigorously plying his trade. "I say, sonny, do you want a new job?" he asked. "Yes, sir, what is it?" replied the boy. "Well, my manager is looking for a lad like you to play the fool." "Oh, he is, is he?" cried the newboy. "What's his idea—to sack you or to keep two of us?"



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# Motors & Motoring

## Endless Experiments Keep Motor Industry Guessing

Secrets of Industry Well Preserved in Various Plants and Few Know of Approaching Change Until Builders Make Their Announcement

Secrets are secrets in the automobile industry. No one knows this better than those whose business it is to keep the public informed of the progress and plans of the field. It is a fact that it has been discovered that the public itself is of great value to the manufacturers in keeping under cover the details of their new products.

So much is spent nowadays on advertising and publicity in an effort to acquaint the public with facts regarding new cars and latest features that any manufacturer can be careless with a secret, knowing that it will not get to the public. Occasionally, however, a manufacturer attracts attention because of his prolonged silence. That is when a secret has to be carefully guarded and the time when the manufacturers reveal themselves as amazingly tight-lipped.

Many Experiments Made. One thing that serves to assist automotive secret-keeping is the habit all manufacturers have of experimenting with various types of cars. General Motors may be seen testing out all types of machines and yet the engineers in charge may have no idea of recommending any without divulging until the proper release date.

Automobile trade papers do not give advance information, as the motorist generally believes. This impression is gained from the fact that persons not in the automobile trade are not entitled to subscription privileges. This ban on public subscriptions has nothing to do with keeping the public in the dark. It is just a matter of limiting subscriptions to the trade, so that advertisers can get the sort of readers they prefer. These trade periodicals can be purchased from newsmen.

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Instances they simply are proving that the type of engine, the braking system or the design of another make of car is not right. Around the first of July and the first of January, annually, these experimental cars lead to some amazing rumors, but the manufacturers keep their secrets to themselves and few know what they will have to offer until the curtain goes up on the midsummer offerings or the special batch of creations reserved for the New York automobile show.

It amuses dealers, manufacturers and persons in close touch with the trade to hear the misguided prophets discussing the "disclosures" of automotive secrets.

News Held in Confidence. It is customary for newspapers to receive publicity matter on new models and surprises about a week before release date. One writer who gives the impression of being privileged to know what thousands of dealers do not know hints of intimate information regarding a new model. He captures the attention of his readers with this brief mention of a surprise he has in store, but they do not know he has just read the publicity release sent to him by the factory and which he gave information to the trade papers because they do not want such knowledge to get into the hands of all of their dealers, and particularly those handling competing cars. Only a privileged few dealers ever know exactly what is coming in the line of new models and then the information usually is given only after the publicity department is ready.

A clear case of secret-keeping is found in the very recent springing of the Erskine six at the Paris salon by the Studebaker Company. Everybody knew that the Willis-Overland organization was to bring out the Whippet, because the Willis-Overland Company wanted the fact to be known. There was no

clever saving-dropping or scooping on the part of the automobile writing profession. The Studebaker move, on the other hand, was a real coup. The secret was so closely guarded the trade was taken by surprise and has not quite recovered from the fact that this conservative organization is out with the first genuine European-type car.

Aid of Rumors Used. Where the public or the trade is let in on a secret, it is only because the manufacturer knows that he needs all the publicity he can get. One of the new cars to be announced very shortly has been known to the trade for quite some time. Nothing about the car is designed to put competitors into a spin, but the public doubtless will be impressed. Thus, the manufacturer prefers to have rumors broadcast. To gain the attention of the public as he would like to probably will require, in addition, a million or so spent in advertising.

One of the national periodicals requires advertising copy from six to eight weeks in advance. Thus a few in the advertising and publication business frequently come into possession of facts sufficiently early to justify the assumption that they are "in the know," but the manufacturer often holds back on the big surprise—the price—thereby keeping a large portion of the cat still in the bag. Later, and on very short notice, he springs the price in the daily papers.

The motorist often wonders how the details of a new car can be kept under cover so long when the several thousand workmen in the factory are coming in such close contact with it. Are they all pledged to keep mum? Is there a room where, by their foretell their jobs if they tell? How would the manufacturer know where the leak developed?

This is simply a question when it is borne in mind that though the workmen may work on the new product for weeks before it is divulged to the public, they do not know its innermost secrets. They do not know what it will do nor why it will do it. All that is the secret of a few engineers.

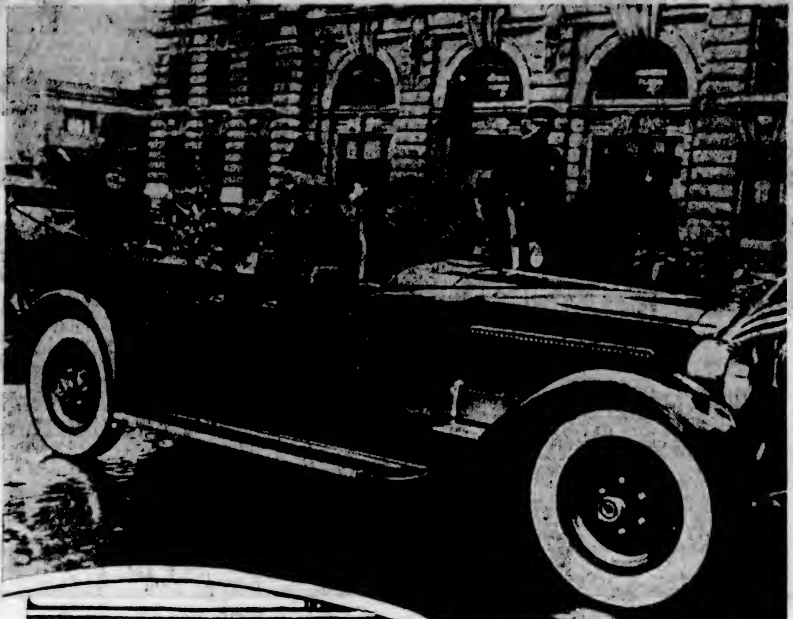
Recently a new car was shown to develop its maximum torque at a surprisingly low car speed. This was the real piece of resistance. Men who built that car day after day did not know anything about this engineering feat until the news was given to the public.

Work is so highly specialized at the motor factories nowadays that it is difficult for any one man to know what is happening to the whole car, and it is like putting together a jigsaw puzzle to get the whole picture. The instructions are to drill some single part a little deeper or to hammer something else a little harder; the skilled workmen go about his tasks and may never realize until he reads the advertisement that he was within an inch of a big automotive secret.

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## Rumanian Queen's Reception in New York



When Queen Marie of Rumania arrived in New York she was escorted by several hundred police. This is the car in which she drove up Broadway to the City Hall, where a Royal welcome had been planned.

## MOTOR FUNCTIONS AS LIFE-SAVER ON OCEAN

Chevrolet Install Unit on Trans-Pacific Liner as Emergency Power for S.O.S. Calls

Not satisfied with playing a leading role on land, the automobile motor has now taken up a career at sea. Away up on the sun deck of the steamship President Lincoln, which sailed recently from San Francisco for the Orient, is an iron cabin—the loftiest place on the ship. It is water-proof, watertight and strongly built to protect its contents from sea and weather. Inside and out, the house is neat and ship-shape, and the chief engineer is the only person aboard with a lock to its key.

Emergency Motor. This cabin, known as the auxiliary room, houses an electric power plant operated by a Chevrolet motor, for emergency use only.

In case of an accident, should everything else on shipboard fail or be below water, this motor generates electricity for the wireless set and for lights around the lifeboats. It is one thing that passengers and crew may depend upon in case of disaster, for as long as there is a spark above water the auxiliary will function. It is entirely independent of the ship's regular machinery and will operate without interrupting the current for distress calls and strong light for launching the small boats.

While in these days the possibility of a disaster is practically nil, the auxiliary room gives an added feeling of security. Chief Electrician T. Armstrong, of the President Lincoln, opens up the little cabin once a week to test the emergency rig.

Automobile Perfection. This feature of modern steamship travel indicates the degree of perfection to which automobile motors have been developed. It is nothing short of marvelous that those faltering pieces of mechanism which first propelled automobiles less than three decades ago have been so perfected as to be selected now to serve as life-savers in case all else fails.

## Girl Is In Trance; Cause Is Unknown

NOTTINGHAM, Nov. 10. — For nearly a year now Doris Minton, of Chilwell, near Nottingham, has lain in a trance—the only signs of life revealing the patient nursing her anxious mother being the twitching of the eyelids and still rarer turning on her side.

The case has baffled medical men, although the highest authorities in the land have had the symptoms under review.

For several months the girl lay in Nottingham General Hospital, and electrical and other treatment was tried without success.

A spiritual healer, called in at the instigation of the Duchess of Portland, could make no impression whatever on the girl.

An osteopathic expert journeyed down from London and offered his services—but they were declined.

The girl lies in bed, breathing normally, her body warm, absorbing the food with which she is artificially fed, but making no signs of recovery, despite her mother's constant care and watchfulness.

In was in October of last year that Doris fell into the trance. She and her brother had been listening in when she suddenly took off the headphones and went to the couch. When her brother asked her if she was feeling unwell she immediately collapsed, closed her eyes, and has not spoken since.

As far as medical men can diagnose, she is suffering from no organic or brain affection, and there is no suggestion that she is a victim of sleeping sickness.

Great Britain leads the world in the number of motorcycles. Out of a grand total of 1,431,145 there are 491,000 in England, 216,830 in Germany, 145,891 in the United States and 120,000 in France. In far-off Tibet, there is one motorcycle registered in the country.

## Watch Radiator Hose

Due to its rotting condition, the hose coupling the radiator to the water jacket should be replaced once a year. When the hose is rotten, the inner rubber will come loose and often seriously check the circulation of the water. When new hose is put on, it is a good practice to put some white lead on the pipe to which it is attached, as the white lead will do much to prevent a leak between the hose and pipe.

## RACE DRIVERS BUY NEW BUICK MOTORS

Speed Kings Invest Season's Winnings in Favorite Make for Use During Winter Months

With the 1926 A.A.A. racing season practically at a close, many of the star drivers have invested part of their winnings from the track in new automobiles to use during the winter months.

Nine of them purchased 1927 Buicks. This group includes Peter de Paolo, the 1925 A.A.A. champion; Frank Lockhart, winner at Indianapolis; Earl Cooper, Dave Lewis, Bob McDonough, Fred Comer, Frank Elliott, Cliff Woodbury and Bennett Hill.

Judging from the praise given their new cars, these drivers are more enthused than ever over the overhead valve engine, which now not only powers their cars on the track, but also the autos they use for personal driving. Their selection of the latest model Buick is considered a very high endorsement for the car by the Buick Motor Company.

Several of these drivers have owned Buicks in the past, notably De Paolo, who has clung to this make for private use ever since he bought his first automobile. He bought two of the 1927 models, one for himself and one for his family. Fred Comer purchased two cars also.

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## HURRICANE REVEALS NEW USE FOR MOTORS

Florida Family Finds Safe Refuge in Oakland Cars on Destruction of Dwelling

Out of the storm-wracked Florida region many stories have come of the stamina of men and women and the stanchness of buildings and homes—how they stood the strain and fury of the elements.

From Fulford, Florida, comes the story of how two motor cars served as a haven of refuge for a family that had to take to the out-of-doors after the roof had been blown off their home. Parked in their cars, the family of L. P. Zimmerman experienced all the sensations, for seven hours, of rocking in these cars as though they were actually being driven at high speed over rough roads, though the motor cars, with only emergency brakes on, were driven along by the hurricane only five feet.

## Eye-Witness Story

The story as related by Mr. Zimmerman, a graphic eye-picture of one family's experience:

"The night of the storm, fearing falling trees, I parked the two cars in the street. It was well the precaution was taken, for now an eighteen-inch pine lies across their regular berth. More than half the majestic pines of our neighborhood—a source of great pride to us—were now a chaotic mass.

"When the roof blew off our home, the members of the family grabbed a few clothes and sought their way to the cars. There we spent seven hours, rocking as though we were going over rough roads at a high speed, wondering at each gust if we were going to be overturned. But they both rode out the storm, and although the air was filled with flying lumber, we were fortunate to escape without a scratch. When we parked the cars we placed a piece of oilcloth over the engine of each car under the hood, and after the rain subsided the cars started without any difficulty.

"These two make our fourth Oakland, and although we have believed in their quality, we now know that quality is built into a car that can withstand the ordeal through which these went, and without even a leak."

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## New Driving Signals For Parisian Traffic

PARIS, Nov. 11.—Paris traffic, which has a habit of running in circles in all directions at once with almost no regulation whatever, may soon take on a semblance of order as a result of new driving signals recently adopted by the police committee of permanent circulation at a meeting with Prefect Morin. These signals are uniform—something which could never before be said about chauffeurs' manipulations.

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## Police Tricycle Ambulance in Berlin Show



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## PETROLEUM CONFERS BENEFITS ON MAN

Countless Uses of Mineral Show Value Is Not Limited to Propulsion of Automobiles

While the average man regards petroleum chiefly as an adjunct to automobiling, few realize the wide-spread benefits obtained from this product. Not only this, but the future will see still greater gains, according to the analysis of Dr. James F. Norris, president of the American Chemical Society.

Already petroleum is affecting human existence to an extent little realized by the average man. Dr. Norris points out in picturing the comforts made possible to the masses through chemical science.

It is a beautiful afternoon, and you decide to take a ride in the country," suggests Dr. Norris. "The gas tank on your car is examined. It is only partially filled, and you will travel a long distance."

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You look over the tires; they scarcely show wear after the many miles they have traveled—petroleum. You examine the artificial leather with which your car is upholstered. It is remarkable how it has withstood wear and the sun and heat. It is pliable and soft—petroleum.

The windshield and the windows are as clear as crystal—no cracks, no danger of breaking—petroleum. The panel containing the recording instruments looks like polished ebony—petroleum.

You wipe off a little grease from the engine and wash your hands with the marvelous new soap—petroleum. Finally you start; soon there is a detour. The road is being broadened and there is much blasting—petroleum.

You pass a plant for the manufacture of ammonia for fertilizer where large amounts of hydrogen are used—petroleum. You stop at a drug store for a little refreshment. You order an exhilarating drink with the taste and odor of fresh fruit—petroleum.

Petroleum Drugs. "You look about and examine some of the newer drugs. If you ever need something to give you additional vim to meet a physical or intellectual emergency, if you prove restless at night and want a mild soporific, if diabetes ever takes hold of you, if you want a mild sedative for household use, if you want to remove grease from a delicate fabric, if you need an internal lubricant—in short, if you want to keep so abundant in a modern drug store you will find it here, and in many cases it will go back to petroleum."

You jump aboard the car again and admire the durability of the floor covering—petroleum. It is time for a cigarette. The tobacco contains just the right amount of moisture, held by a trace of a liquid of the proper hygroscopic properties—petroleum.

You pass a hospital and think of the wonderful new anesthetics that have none of the bad after-effects of chloroform or ether—petroleum. You finally return home and spend the evening working on your income tax return—you are surprised to find what a large sum you must pay—you are rapidly getting rich—petroleum."

But chemists, Dr. Norris warns, must not be content to utilize only their present knowledge, adding: "We must develop aliphatic chemistry in all its branches. We must study more closely organic molecules—learn about the forces that hold the atoms together and how to control these forces at will."

"The problems are fascinating ones, and I foresee great activity in this rich field. It is impossible to picture this or that particular advance, except where logic leads us from what we know now. But brilliant achievements not even dreamed of are ahead."

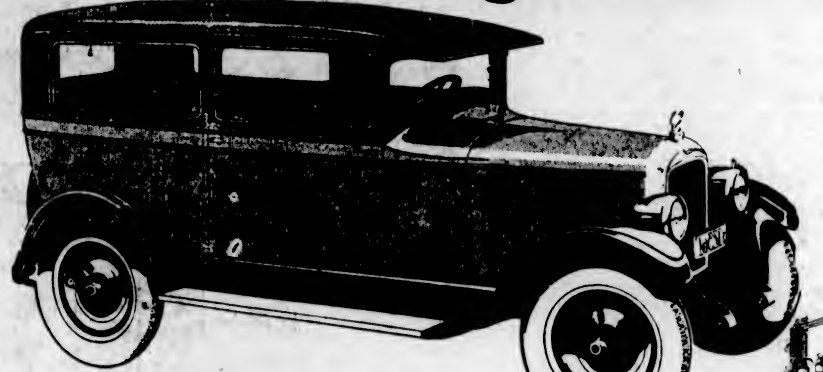
**Find Pleasing Hum**

A pleasing hum resulting from skilful combination of the gears can be readily spoiled by driving too fast or too slowly in the particular gear combination. A good driver accelerates in second on a hill until he finds a pleasing tone. Then he sticks to it.

**Locate Missing Cylinder**

One way to locate a missing cylinder is to feel the porcelain of all spark plugs after the engine has run a few minutes. If one plug is cooler than the others, the cylinder beneath it is the one which is not firing regularly.

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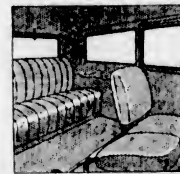


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## EUROPEAN DRIVERS ASK U.S. STANDARDS

Continent Has Eyes Turned Towards U.S., Says Studebaker Official on Return From Paris Salon

WALKERVILLE, Ont., Nov. 13.—Significant changes in European motoring conditions, which have presaged a new era for American motor cars on the Continent, were outlined by Paul G. Hoffman, vice-president of the Studebaker Corporation of Canada, Ltd., on his return from the Paris Salon.

"Europe has its eyes turned towards America," said Mr. Hoffman. "Continental drivers are demanding American standards of performance. They want economy, but they have been impressed with the superior smoothness, power and comfort of the American automobiles and to attain these standards, they are swinging from four to six cylinder cars in unmistakable fashion."

**European Developments**  
"European manufacturers have sensed this desire for better motor cars and are offering a wide variety of new six-cylinder models. France alone in this salon showed thirty-three six-cylinder cars. Ballot, Delage, Daimler, Renault, Talbot, Minerva and Fiat have all added small six-cylinder cars to their lines this year. The extent to which American manufacturers can't sell their products in Europe is, of course, problematical. American cars entering France have to pay a total of sixty-three per cent duty on landed cost, which is based on the American price plus freight, insurance and boxing. The result is, the American cars must be sold at very high prices. Practically all of the foreign countries exact high duties and also some frame their laws so that American cars pay heavy operating taxes."

**Erskine Six Record**  
"These handicaps lend added significance to the sales record made by the Erskine six, the 2½ litre Studebaker product, first shown at the Paris Salon. During the progress of the show more than 1,500 orders were booked for delivery as soon as possible. While the Erskine six is unique in that it combines American standards of performance and the European standard of economy, this sales record is nevertheless an encouraging omen of a larger and better business for all American cars. As Europe becomes more prosperous, the demand for quality cars will increase, and it is probable that in this field America can secure a large share of the business in spite of tariff barriers and high taxation."

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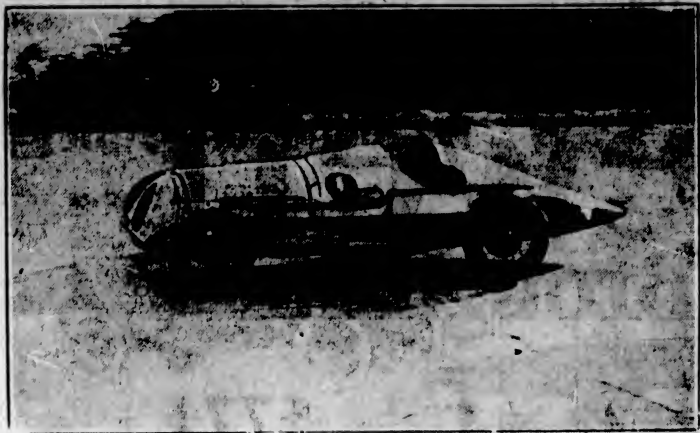
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## Closed Models Win Favor With European Motorists

London Times Correspondent Notes Striking Features of Recent Automobile Exhibition in Paris, Including Preference for Six-Cylinder Light Cars

The closed-car type in Europe is duplicating its successful career in this country. One of the striking features of the recent Paris show, according to the correspondent of The London Times, was the almost complete disappearance of the open car.

"The standard model of nearly all makes," he says, "is the closed car with interior drive, doubtless in response to the demand of the owner-driver. The improvement in the finish of these cars is most noticeable. The vast majority of body work is covered in leather or imitation leather, and windows are finished in dull enamel.

## Smart Appearance

"This combination gives the whole turn-out a remarkably smart appearance, more especially as French coach builders have recently been giving special attention to beauty of line, and have succeeded in producing a low raking effect, even in cars which are sprung well off the ground.

"Cars, in fact, are developing an architecture of their own, less and less based upon the horse-drawn carriage, and the body no longer seems to have been superimposed on the chassis, but to have grown out of it. This applies especially to the sports models, which share with the closed car the popular favor."

Attention was called to the introduction of medium-powered six-cylinder models by many of the large firms, but it was an exaggeration, it is stated, to call the Paris exhibit a six-cylinder show, as all the really small cars remain with four cylinders. One firm, which established a small-powered six-cylinder model, ceased to manufacture it because of difficulties of accommodating it to mass production.

## Six-Cylinder Preference

The increase in the number of foreign cars with light six-cylinder motors "has been forced upon the Continental designer," says the London correspondent, "in spite of the greater running expenses involved

by the devotion of American manufacturers to this type of car. The average purchase price, taking into account the fall in the exchange, is only a little dearer than last year's four-cylinder models."

The few British exhibits, it was explained, was not due to lack of enterprise, but to the impossibility of competing in France with native firms protected by high import duties. Every British car has to pay forty-five per cent ad valorem import duty and twelve per cent ad valorem in direct taxation, which makes it impossible to sell them at an attractive price. Italian and American cars can still compete, however, but British cars can only hope for the occasional specialist customer.

## Dodge Car Penetrates The Great Gobi Desert

Seven Dodge Brothers' commercial cars and two Dodge Brothers' touring cars are part of the equipment of the fourth Central Asiatic Expedition of the American Museum of Natural History into the untracked wastes of the Gobi Desert. Dr. Roy Chapman Andrews, leader of the expedition, reports that Dodge Brothers' cars (Cruisers, Brothers' trucks) are virtually the only motor vehicles used.

## London Court Fine Exceeds Cost of Car

LONDON, Nov. 13.—"I'll sell her for \$25," offered George Chivers in disgust, when his eighteen-year-old automobile stopped at a busy crossing.

"Sold if you'll drive me home in it," offered a bystander. Chivers, anxious to show the car's merits, got himself arrested for speeding. He made the sale, but was fined \$27.50 in Highbury Police Court.

## Milk Bottle Test for Erratic Motor Drivers

Erratic drivers inflict terrific punishment on their cars and would do well to try the following "cure": Stand an empty milk bottle on the floor in the driving compartment and make a note of the number of times it falls over. Also note when it falls over and why. Jerky starting, sudden stopping, rough gear shifting, too hasty acceleration and turning corners too fast will be found to upset the bottle more frequently than rough places in the road.

## FIT JEWETT CARS TO INDIVIDUAL DRIVERS

Adjustment of Controls and Seat of New Brougham Provides Utmost in Comfort

One of the newest trends in motor car construction, both in America and abroad, is the making of automobiles that are adjustable to the individual driver, instead of the driver to adjust himself to an uncomfortable seat in his car.

More than comfort is involved in a correct position. Sitting in proper relation to steering wheel, clutch pedal, brake pedal, and controls, means freedom from fatigue, and even more important, safety in driving—for only when the driver is in proper position can he quickly and efficiently operate the controls. Means of effecting a comfortable driving position formerly was available only in the cutler cars; now the new Jewett Brougham offers an example of what has been done in the lower price class.

## Driver's Position

A total variation of five inches in the position of the driver is provided by adjustments in the clutch and brake pedals and also in the front seats. The rubber pedal pads are mounted on substantial bars that are clamped into the clutch and brake pedals proper, and these clamps allow a variation of the pedal position totaling two inches.

The adjustability of the front seat, in a fore and aft direction, totals three inches. The two adjustments, in combination, thus allow a total change amounting to five inches. The driver having unusually long legs can drop the pedals a two inches and move the seat all the way back, and

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## Motoring Bad for Dogs In Opinion of Expert

No matter how much your dog likes motoring, if you think anything of him, keep him at home. Motoring isn't good for him, says Dr. William J. Lantz, Professor of Veterinary Anatomy of the University of Pennsylvania Veterinary School. Riding the running board is especially bad. Joy riding for dogs, Dr. Lantz says, causes conjunctivitis, or what is known as inflammation of the mucous membrane of the eye sockets. Rhinitis is another result of joy riding for dogs. That's inflammation of the membrane of the nose. If the dog's eyes water easily, you may know that he has the first ailment. If he sneezes easily he has the second.

## Buenos Aires Adopts Automatic Light System

As the result of a constant increase in traffic in Buenos Aires, Argentina, a new automatic light system is to be tried out to regulate the flow of traffic in the busiest section of the city. The system of lights will be similar to that employed in New York and other large American cities.

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## CHRYSLER PRICE CHANGES IN EFFECT

Reductions Made Possible Through Increased Mass Production, Says Official

As announced recently by the Chrysler Sales Corporation, through Thomas Plimley, Ltd., the local dealers, the prices on all enclosed cars of the model 80 Chrysler have been substantially reduced.

This reduction in price is made possible because of the record-breaking production of Chrysler products in answer to the greatest demand ever known for them. Not only have deliveries to the public of the Chrysler 80 alone exceeded \$15,000,000 in less than six months since its introduction, but shipments on all four

Chrysler models continue at the highest point in the history of the company," says J. E. Fields, vice-president, in charge of sales of the Chrysler Sales Corporation.

Demand Grows Rapidly The demand for Chrysler cars has grown so rapidly that this company has gone from eighteenth place three years ago to fourth today among manufacturers in the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

"The operations of Chrysler's plan of standardized quality have been greatly responsible for the tremendous value in Chrysler production," points out Mr. Fields. "We have stressed right along the fact that our standardized quality programme means greater quality at lower cost in each of our four cars—the 80, 80, the recently announced new and finer 70 and the Imperial 80 alike, because standardized quality eliminates the element of 'purchaser's risk' through

the exclusion of chances in production and because of the assurance that all Chrysler cars, designed and engineered by our own experts, are built to one standard of quality.

"Chrysler now occupies the most enviable position in the motor car industry," concludes Mr. Fields. "That the public appreciates the many features of fine quality is shown by the ever-growing demand and splendid sales increases which have resulted in our record-breaking rise in short order to fourth place among National Automobile Chamber of Commerce motor car manufacturers."

A road hog has been termed a driver who takes his half of the road from the middle. He bugs the white line and proceeds to drive along at a slow rate of speed, regardless of the loss of time and inconvenience he causes those who are attempting to share the highway with him.



## BRITAIN'S RISING TIDE OF WEALTH

NATION GROWS RICHER UNDER DIFFICULTIES THAT SHOULD SPELL BANKRUPTCY

Prosperity on Wall St. Is Reflected on London Wall—Flamboyance of Capital Overseas

By WALTER KENNETH EARLE

At the annual conference of British bankers in London last Spring the chairman spoke with a satisfaction of the financial situation that called forth comment from the ever-watchful economic writers of the American press. An editorial note in The Saturday Evening Post probably the most widely circulated family periodical in the United States, remarked that only the fiscal side of commerce was referred to by the speaker, who said nothing about Britain's adverse trade balance, her (then) pending general strike, or her one and a half million unemployed, despite which, it was apparent, London still considered herself the money-lending centre of the world.

Such comment is by no means confined to American writers, and when we consider the tremendous strain of the Great War (estimated variously at anything up to fifty billion dollars), combined with the enormous losses and the monthly recurring excess of imports, one is tempted to dismiss as inveterate optimists those who remind us that all is yet well. But facts are stubborn things, and the optimists have facts on their side, the biggest being that though Britain ought to be broke, cold figures prove that she is financially stronger than ever.

Exports and Expenditures  
Yet since 1918 (and, of course, during the war) monthly returns by the Board of Trade have shown an adverse balance between imports and exports of several millions sterling.

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and the question has constantly been asked, "How long can this last?" Britain has been frequent, the total loss caused by the present coal stoppage (including the period of the general strike) reaching a figure of over one billion dollars. Besides this is "the debt" which has been paid weekly to over a million workless under the unemployment insurance scheme, amounting in 1924 alone to \$192,000,000 and pensions to 1,150,000 who fought in the Great War have been paid to a sum aggregating \$1,625,000,000. All expenditure under the various heads of education, of social services, old age pensions and the new pension for widows and orphans is vastly larger than in 1914. Since the Armistice the state has subsidised the building of 244,000 dwellings for working at a cost of more than \$200,000,000 and is committed to an annual subsidy under this heading of \$40,000,000 a year for fifty years to come. The state grant to the coal mining industry was over \$100,000,000, and added to this huge expenditure is the additional thousand millions of dollars being paid to the United States.

More Money  
But the amazing thing is that the people of Britain have more money than ever. There are more rich and the poor have more money. A study of "The Statistical Abstract" shows that the number of those having incomes from \$25,000 to \$100,000 a year has increased by eighty-two per cent, and those exceeding wealthy people with incomes over the latter sum, though comparatively few in number (124), have increased by fifty per cent. The same book deals with those whose incomes are too small to be liable to the super-tax, and the figures dealing with "the wealth of the poor" all show an access of wealth. The total of deposits in the Post Office Savings Bank, which was \$252,658,000 in 1914, reached \$1,401,865,000 in 1924, an increase of nearly two-fifths, and the number of depositors which was 15,514,000 in 1914, totalled 18,879,000 in 1924. It will be seen that the increase is thus from a large number of new small accounts.

Amounts in trustee savings banks have increased fifty per cent since 1914 and the assets of building societies, industrial and provident societies are more by 150 to 140 per cent since 1914.

The Gold Basis  
And in 1925 the pound sterling, on a tide of rising British credit, was put back on a gold basis, and this year, after the calling off of the general strike last May, actually rose above par on the New York Exchange. Previous to 1925 the pound sterling was at less than gold parity for eleven years. London therefore again holds her position in the exchange business of the world, and in the ancient and important business of banking has regained her old supremacy. Comparative figures dealing with leading banks show that the deposits of the National City Bank of New York, the largest bank in America, total some \$250,000,000. The Midland Bank, of which the Right Hon. R. McKenna is chairman, has nearly \$100,000,000 more in deposits for the year 1925 than for the year 1914. The total deposits in the five largest banks in the United States are about \$327,750,000 compared with \$151,613,791 (or over \$50,000,000 more) in England's big five—these being the Midland, Lloyds, Barclays, National Provincial and Westminster.

Inc calculable Wealth  
What, then, has caused this tide of rising wealth, which, in a country less handicapped would spell a prosperity comparable to that enjoyed by the States? When we have viewed with alarm the big trade balance which has been against Britain for so long it has seemed only a question of time before "the deluge." Economists explain that a favorable balance is struck when the "invisible exports" represented by the services rendered by British shipping to the world and the dividends paid by corporations with activities abroad. But nobody knows the wealth of Britain and none can say what she can or cannot afford. When "invisible exports" are calculated, they deal with the operations of companies actually incorporated in the British Isles, whereas large sums come from worldwide operations in every country and clime, and of which no accurate estimate can be made.

A "Nation of Wholesalers"  
Those who speculate upon the decline of British manufacturing supremacy often fail to realize the change since the Napoleonic era: "A nation of shopkeepers." The nation of shopkeepers is still keeping shop, but has gone into the wholesale business. The recent publicity given to the fact that Britain controls seventy per cent of the world's rubber came only when the advanced price hit the American manufacturer. This publicity never comes from the British themselves, and the Stevenson plan had been in operation three years before most of the world had heard of it. At present the use of tea as a beverage is rather despised in the United States (perhaps from historic memories), but its consumption has largely been aided by prohibition and when the invidious habit has reached the huge proportions that everything does in America, we may suddenly hear a new outcry against another British monopoly. Jute operations in Bengal keep an exchange fluttering all day in Calcutta, tin in the Malay States is being shipped to help the present famine of this indispensable product in America. Rubber in Fiji and Jamaica, oil in Burma, Sumatra, and Iraq, platinum, gold and diamonds in Africa, to mention only a few of the activities capitalised and operated abroad. Cotton activities are increasing in Uganda and Nigeria. In the Sudan 5,000,000 acres have been reclaimed from the desert for growing cotton and a heavily capitalised interest is prospecting concessions in Bolivia of 10,000,000 acres said to be rich in minerals and oil. There are huge investments in all the Latin republics of South America, and ten out of the fourteen railways in Argentina are grinding out wealth for British shareholders, and every ship through the Suez Canal has to pay tribute. These sources of income do not take into consideration the huge British investments in the United States themselves, nor the wealth represented by investments and activities in the self-governing Dominions.

The Money-Lending Business  
Another source of wealth is the money sent home in the form of

## 5 Horse Power Midget Motor Seen at Paris



The sensation of the twentieth annual automobile show in Paris was that tiny five-horse-power, two-cylinder, two-cycle motor with no clutch or gears, the invention of M. Constantino. To put the automobile in motion it is only necessary to start the motor and press the accelerator, the connection between the motor and the wheels being made gradually through a system of governors actuated by centrifugal force, after the manner of those used on steam engines. The motor uses five litres of gasoline per 100 kilometers, and has a maximum speed of sixty kilometers an hour. It moves after the motor is turning at 1,000 revolutions per minute. It turns normally at 2,200. Photo shows M. Constantino with his greatest motor.

savings from the millions of Britishers all over the world and the wealth represented by the wages of those for whom jobs are opened in all parts of the globe by the enterprise of British capital.

Since 1920 the amount of new investments abroad is estimated at \$500,000,000 annually. The United States are lending large sums of money abroad vast amounts going—as the American journalists point out to help build up a devastated Europe. There is a difference in the investments thus made, the investors of the United States being interested for the most part in buying foreign secured bonds at a more or less fixed interest, whereas British capital usually goes to open up industry in remote parts of the world, providing, incidentally, work for thousands of the educated classes who earn good salaries as supervisors of labor.

Bewildering Ramifications  
So the whole structure of British finance abroad is a half-unintentionally, a vast upheaval of change and interchange, all converging on that great counting house of the world, the City of London, an approximate square mile into which over a million people swarm daily in a constant battle with figures, the aggregate of which reach colossal proportions. In her capacity as wholesale purveyor of much of the world's raw commodities Britain was fortunate in having a ready customer of unlimited spending power. There is no doubt that prosperity in Wall Street has been reflected on London Wall and that the intense industrialism of the United States has been a large contributing factor to Britain's economic recovery, even though American goods compete largely in British markets. There is no doubt that the strong prosperous America of today is one of the principal stabilizing factors in international commerce and exchange.

The fact that most of the leading industrial shares in England are higher than they were a month before the beginning of the coal strike would seem to indicate a speedy return to work of the miners, especially since Mr. A. J. Cook has announced his belief in "organized retreat."

There remains the monthly trade deficit and the million and a half unemployed. The "Buy British" campaign in the Old Country is designed to correct the former, and an automatically remedial remedy. It seems a simple remedy which is entirely in the hands of the British themselves. It would be easy if the admirable patriotic "war time" could be extended to the weekly shopping in peace time.

Great Powers of Europe Coming to Agreement

BERLIN, Nov. 13.—Germany, Great Britain and France are on the verge of coming to an agreement as regards military establishments in Germany, a Foreign Office spokesman asserted today. He expressed the hope that a settlement on the outstanding questions would be reported early in December.

Japanese Emperor Is In Serious Condition

TOKYO, Nov. 13.—Although no official bulletin regarding the Emperor's condition was forthcoming today, messages from Hayama said the condition of the sovereign was virtually unchanged. His appetite is on the wane, and he takes only liquid food.

The Emperor's three sisters are at his bedside.

New Goitre Remedy  
Great interest attaches to reports of a remarkable method for treating goitre recently demonstrated at the W. T. B. Laboratory, 784 E.M.C.A. Bldg., Battle Creek, Mich. It is used by the patient herself in her own home and it is said that the largest and most hideous goitres begin to recede almost in a day. They gradually get smaller until in three or four weeks they are often gone entirely. The treatment is perfectly safe for anyone to use and many believe it will prove the long sought specific for all goitres. A little book issued by the laboratory explains the method fully and will be mailed free for the asking to anyone interested. (Adv.)

## LINCOLN CARS FOR QUEEN MARIE'S USE

Royal Party Used Famous Make of Motors During Recent Visit to Terminal City

During the visit of Queen Marie of Rumania to Vancouver, November 5, Lincoln cars were used by the Royal party exclusively. These Lincoln cars were furnished by the National Motor Company, Ltd., of Victoria, in co-operation with the Vancouver Motors, Ltd., Vancouver, and the Ford Motor Company of Canada.

On making preparations for the Queen's reception in Vancouver a wire was received from Her Majesty's secretary requesting that Lincoln cars be furnished, as Her Majesty had made arrangements to use them during her entire tour. On receipt of this wire Mayor Taylor, of Vancouver, placed the entire transportation problem in the hands of the National Motor Company, and the Vancouver Motors, Lincoln dealers for British Columbia. In order to place enough cars at the disposal of Mayor Taylor it was necessary to bring twelve cars, of the latest type, from Seattle, where Lincoln cars were a new sport touring, that particularly appealed to Prince Nicholas. It was this car that he drove from Blaine to Vancouver in forty-five minutes, accompanied by his sister, the Princess Ileana.

In all fifteen new Lincoln cars were drawn up before the Union Station in Vancouver to receive the Royal party. The value represented in these cars was in excess of \$125,000, and made a very impressive picture. An expression of appreciation from the City of Vancouver has been received by the National Motor Company for the efficiency and beauty of the transportation furnished.

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You know, Jim, they talk about balloon tires or the starting mechanism as being "the greatest" and so forth. But really the greatest achievement, to my mind, is the way the Star car people have succeeded in producing a small car that has all the quality and balance usually found only in the big, expensive cars.

Think of it—speed, comfort. I really think I can pace you all the way—and a car smart enough to appear in any company, and look what I have got left in the bank!

Of course, it was bound to come some day. But the point of it is, Jim, it is here now. And if Saturday finds you home, I hope to show you something you never knew before.

Yours Bob

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## The Story of Canada's Money

The Coins of Frontenac

By PAUL MONTGOMERY

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Louis de Baude, Comte de Frontenac, who is known to the readers of Canadian history as Frontenac, held office twice in Canada. This little story has to do with his second term of office, which commenced in 1683, just four years after the first issue of the gold money. His appointment to Quebec for a second term of office was occasioned by the declaration of war between England and France in 1681. All his former quarrels with the Jesuits which had led to his recall seven years earlier, were forgotten. A strong man was needed to hold New France and Frontenac was the man.

He had not long to wait for action. In the Spring of 1691 Sir William Phips appeared before Quebec, with a fleet from Boston, and demanded the surrender of the town. Sir William's fleet had enjoyed a full quota of excitement. It had captured a Spanish treasure ship and enriched itself with one and a half million dollars and had captured Port Royal. Now the leader decided to end his tour with the crowning achievement of capturing Quebec.

The details of the demand for the surrender of the town have been the subject for several paintings. The envoy from the fleet arrived in the lower town and was led, blindfolded, to Frontenac, in the Castle of St. Louis on the heights above. The envoy asked the Governor for an answer to his demands. "My guns

shall give the answer," roared the sturdy Frontenac. And truly said. The Boston fleet returned, or what was left of it, to port, with heavy loss.

Frontenac next dealt a smashing blow at the traitors and the reports of these victories were balm to the French court. They decided to strike a coin in honor of the event and in Quebec the people erected and dedicated the little church of the Lady of Victories, which stands there to this day. A few of the coins were struck in silver and were looked upon more as medals by the colonists of Quebec. They were of course legal tender and many of them found their way back to France in payment for goods. A few found the pathway to the leather bag of the peasant.

A gentleman who resided in Montreal until his death a few years ago, had one of these rare Frontenac coins. It was a source of double pride to him. It was the most valuable member of a splendid collection of Canadian coins and it had been handed down from father to son since the day when an ancestor had earned it by ransoming powder from the hands of Frontenac that raked Phips' fleet before Quebec.

One evening this gentleman returned to his residence in Montreal after spending a social evening and discovered to his dismay that burglars had been at work. Among other valuable things they had stripped his coin cabinet of all the silver coins, including the rare Frontenac piece.

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THE COINS OF FRONTENAC



This coin had been in his family for over two hundred years and he felt the loss very deeply and he could not afford to pay the large sum that would be asked for a similar specimen even if one could be located for sale. On his way to work the next morning he passed a Montreal pawnshop. His rare coin was displayed amid the junk offered to view. He purchased the beloved coin back for fifty cents.

## GULF ISLANDS AID NEW EDIFICE

Salt Spring Island Subscribes \$1,005 to Cathedral Building Fund

GANGES, Nov. 13.—Residents of Salt Spring Island have subscribed \$1,005 to date to the building of the new Christ Church Cathedral, Victoria. This gratifying result has been made up by contributions received from all parts of the island. The gentlemen who undertook the canvass have reported a most favorable reception, and found most people had already decided upon their gift before they were called upon.

It is generally recognized that a new cathedral is needed in the Capital City, and that it will be an attraction to this part of the Province. Old-timers are not forgetful of the fact that the generosity of the cathedral congregations in Victoria had made possible the ministrations of the church on the Gulf Islands and elsewhere since the early days of organized settlement.

Mr. W. E. Scott is chairman of the local committee for the new cathedral, and the committee was assisted in its recent efforts by the diocesan secretary, Mr. A. R. Merrick, of Victoria.

A casual glance discloses, Some folks turn up their sleeves at work And some turn up their noses!

A motorist had run over and killed a goat. The owner stood with arms akimbo demanding to know what the motorist intended to do about it. "Madam," said the motorist, "I will replace the animal." "You flatter yourself," said the owner of the goat.

## USED FIRST BUGLE HEARD BY C.E.F.

Historical Musical Instrument With Record in France Heard at Ex-Servicemen's Dinner

DUNCAN, Nov. 13.—The ex-servicemen's dinner, held last evening in the Rex Hall, was in every way a most successful affair. One hundred and twenty veterans of the Great War and previous wars were present. Brigadier-General Gardiner-Spaight, who was commissioned fifty-two years ago this month, occupied the head of the table and made a most excellent chairman. In addition to the ex-servicemen, the dinner was present as guests of the evening, Mr. C. H. Dickie, M.P.; Mr. C. F. Davis, M.P.P.; and the Mayor, Mr. J. Islay Muttter.

The arrangements in connection with the dinner were in the hands of a committee of the Cowichan branch of the Canadian Legion, consisting of Comrades Burroughs, Barry, Williams-Freeman, Smyke and Wilmut, who received the invaluable assistance of Comrade F. Leyland, of Leyland's Restaurant, who gave unstintingly of his time, labor and advice. The local troop of Boy Scouts acted as waiters.

The following gentlemen contributed to the dinner: Comrades Edwards, Dunkley, Martinique, Kealey, Ogden, Castle, Leyland, Dennis and Sargent. The following were the toastmasters: "This King," "Absent Comrades," proposed by Major Galsford. In a brief but excellent speech, "The British Empire," Colonel Colford; "The Navy, Army and Air Force," Captain Douglas Groves; "Canada," Mr. C. H. Dickie, M.P.; "The Canadian Legion," Mr. C. F. Davis, M.P.P. This was replied to by Comrade J. H. C. Frank, president of the Cowichan branch. "The Ladies," Dr. H. P. Swan; "Our Guests," Mr. Hugh Savage. The bugle calls were handled most capably by Comrade Dennis, and the instrument used was a most historic one, being the first bugle ever sounded by a member of the Canadian Expeditionary Force in France.

A schoolboy was asked to define luck. He wrote: "Last week a man was murdered in the street for his money. But he had left all his money in the office. That was luck."

## Vancouver Island

### WORLD POLITICS THEME OF SPEECH

COMOX DISTRICT TEACHERS' INSTITUTE HEARS PROFESSOR SOWARD

Well-Known Writer on Political Questions Speaks on Reconstruction of Europe

COURTENAY, Nov. 13.—The annual convention of the Comox District Teachers' Institute opened here Thursday night with a remarkably interesting address by Professor Frederick W. Soward, of the University of B.C. The subject of the lecture was, "Main Currents in Post-War Europe." Commented with a comprehensive knowledge of his subject, the speaker displayed a keen insight to the future European and world conditions. The audience, which filled the Booth Hall was very attentive.

Professor Soward described the colossal loss of human life in the World War, which amounted to ten millions, pointing out that an additional ten millions of the civilian population were killed through starvation, massacres, air raids, submarine attacks, etc.

The total financial loss had been \$37 billion, which had meant a waste of \$300,000 for every hour of the duration of the war. Truth had been completely knocked out. Four nations had been dismembered. Montenegro and Austria-Hungary had disappeared. Europe had only three monarchies left, and has more republics than had South America. Russia, he considered, would regain her place if encouraged with financial backing and the necessary stability. He pointed out that the financial positions of Europe and America had been reversed. The era of European domination of the world was passing, and the Pacific powers were gaining.

He referred to the rebirth of Poland, which was formerly surrounded by three enemy nations as being only possible by a miracle. The miracle had happened, and Poland had been re-established. He explained how Czechoslovakia had come out of the ruins of Austria-Hungary and was now the pivot of Central Europe. It was probable that the European states of the next few years, he referred to the spirit of moral superiority of the United States as a stumbling block to the gaining of friendship of European peoples. Nationalism as such was losing ground in Europe; and it was now coming to be considered better a good Frenchman or a good German.

The intense nationalism of pre-war times had changed to an era of revenge and retribution, in which international debts had played an important part and had been followed by the great problem of national security. He referred to the austere and from Germany as reparations as out for all proportion of her ability to pay; and showed how, out of necessity, the Dawes Plan, which was successful, had been instituted. He pointed out the impossibility of America's demands, explaining that the American debt would be a burden on the next two generations of the British people—a thing that they would not endure. He hoped that some day a statesman would come forward in America broad enough to show charity to all and malice to no man, but at present such a one was not in sight.

Another World Conference  
In two years' time there would probably be called a world conference to consider the whole question of reparations. The League of Nations was the most hopeful sign for world peace. Locarno was a landmark in the armed peace, and would be such in the real peace which was to follow. In 1912, the armed forces in Europe had amounted to \$2,684,000. In 1922, 4,411,000; in 1925, 4,241,000, showing that the peak had been passed and that Europe was disarming, but the situation was not good enough yet. He thought that the world disarmament would come about in the near future. Things were distinctly on the mend in Europe, with hatred dying down. For the future the spirit of individual and national toleration was all-important. Much also depended on education, Mr. H. G. Wells had said, "It must be catastrophe or education." Finally the spirit of co-operation was essential—the spirit of bearing one another's burdens.

Mr. G. W. Soward, president of the Teachers' Institute, was in the chair, and a very hearty vote of thanks was moved by Mr. William Duncan, which was seconded by School Inspector J. M. Patterson.

### Resident Dies

NANAIMO, Nov. 13.—Mrs. Alice Bromley, sixty-nine, a resident of Nanaimo and died at her home last night after a long illness.

### "CASCARETS" FOR COSTIVE BOWELS, HEADACHE, COLDS

To-night! Clean your bowels and stop headache, colds, sour stomach

Get a 10-cent box now—Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and bad colic, get them out tonight and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels, or an upset stomach. Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets clean your stomach; remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great.

A Cascaret tonight straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken. (Adv.)

her son-in-law, Mr. Fred Ellison, 115 Stewart Avenue, Friday afternoon. She was a native of Wickham, Durham, England, and is survived by one daughter, Mrs. P. Ellison; four sons, and one brother, residing in England. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

### Card Party Is Success

MARIGOLD, Nov. 13.—Nine tables were in play at the regular fortnightly card party held in the Marigold Hall last night, and interested play showed the following having highest score at the close of the evening: Ladies' first, Mrs. Hand; gentlemen's first, Mr. Hancock. Consolation prizes were awarded to Mrs. Hooper and to Mr. Sea. Refreshments were served by the conveners of the affair, Mrs. Munroe and Mrs. Dinton.

Widespread regret is expressed at the loss of Mrs. J. W. Harrison, whose death occurred today. Mrs. Harrison had been a resident of the Marigold district for many years and a valued officer of the Garden City Women's Institute, being president of that organization for several years. The Spanish War Memorial Health Centre, the Victorian Order of Nurses were also among the many activities undertaken by the late Mrs. Harrison.

### FRACTURED HIS LEG WHEN TRUCK SKIDDED

Mr. Ira Smith Is Patient at Lady-Smith Hospital

LADYSMITH, Nov. 13.—Mr. Ira Smith is a patient in the Lady-Smith General Hospital suffering from a fractured leg, which he sustained through accidentally falling from a motor truck on which he was riding. A wheel of the vehicle passed over his leg causing a fracture. Another accident occurred on the Island Highway in the vicinity of Brenton on account of the truck skidding in the loose gravel.

A national costume dance will be held in the Speedway Hall on November 18, under the auspices of the Cedar Women's Institute, which is busy preparing to make it the most enjoyable dance of the season.

A social evening was enjoyed by a large gathering which attended a card party held in the A.O.F. Hall under the auspices of the Pythian Sisters. Seventeen tables were filled with enthusiastic card players, the successful ladies winning the prizes being Mrs. Yoorvart and Mrs. Hartley; the lucky men were Mr. F. Kirby and Mr. J. Hartley.

The Armistice dance held in the Agricultural Hall, under the auspices of the Army and Navy Veterans, was a most enjoyable affair. The hall was filled to its capacity with those participating in the real social time, the display of colors in the various up-to-date costumes worn by the ladies, combined with the elaborate decorations of the hall, formed a most picturesque scene.

### HEARS ADDRESS ON LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Interesting Sketch on Its Organization Is Offered by Miss E. M. Stiff

A very enjoyable evening was spent on Friday, when Mr. and Mrs. Wicker kindly lent their house for a lecture on "The League of Nations." Mr. Gillespie took the chair and introduced Miss E. M. Stiff, sister of Miss J. M. Stiff, the school teacher, who gave a most interesting account of the League, its start and functions. She told how representatives of nearly all the great nations met and signed it at the close of the World War, fifty-six states in all, Russia, Turkey and the United States alone remaining out. Spain and Brazil have since withdrawn. Each state has three delegates.

A council was formed by the assembly with five permanent and six non-permanent members, who meet every three months, each state being represented by a temporary member. There are six grand committees, she said, as follows:

1. Constitutional and legal questions.
2. Technical organizations.
3. Reduction of armaments.
4. Budget and financial organization.
5. Social and general questions.
6. Political questions.

A court of international justice, in the building given by the late Andrew Carnegie, at The Hague, settles disputes.

There is also an International labor office which works for the welfare, bodily and moral, of men, women and children and give them justice and rights. This body can settle all industrial troubles when other means fail.

"The next generation," she remarked, "will get the real benefit of the League of Nations, and they, the children of the present day, must be led to realize this and be educated up to receiving those benefits. They should also be taught the clauses of the League of Nations Litany."

The chairman moved a hearty vote of thanks to Miss Stiff, which was seconded by Lady Emily Walker, and warmly endorsed.

Mr. Hillyard brought a large gramophone with him and gave a charming musical selection while refreshments were carried out.

Mr. W. H. Thornell and Mr. Eddy seconded a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Wicker, which was carried unanimously.

The proceedings began with the singing of the first verse of "O Canada," and ended with the National Anthem. The following were present:

Mr. and Mrs. Wicker, Lady Emily Walker and Mr. Rupert Walker, Mr. and Mrs. H. Thornell and Gwendolyn, Mr. Hillyard, Tony and Winnie, Mrs. M. A. Caffery, the Misses M. E. S. Marjorie Caffery, Mrs. Brown and Violet, Miss J. M. Stiff and Miss E. M. Stiff, Mr. and Mrs. W. Caffery, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy, Bill and Joan, Mrs. Cartwright and Mr. A. Cartwright, Mr. Davidson and Miss M. Davidson, Messrs. Beale, Gillespie, C. and V. Richardson, Seward, Turner, Robert, son, Simpson, Cavan, L. and W. Hart, and Chambers.

Mabel: And do you think his whole heart was in his proposal?  
Margaret: I think so; his cigarette went out, and he didn't notice it.

## COMMUNITY HOTEL CONTRACT IS LET

BUILDING IS TO BE COMPLETED BY MAY 1 FOR OCCUPANCY

Effort to Raise Funds Now Being Translated Into Action by Board of Directors

NANAIMO, Nov. 13.—The contract for the construction of the Community Hotel on the waterfront to the E. J. Ryan Contracting Company, Limited, of Vancouver, for the price of approximately \$150,000. Preparations are being made immediately for assembling of the plant for the work, and construction will be commenced as soon as possible.

Colonel E. J. Ryan, who was in town in conference with the directors of the Hotel Company, states that actual work will be commenced on the site not later than Monday week. There is a clause in the specifications requiring the contractor to engage local labor as far as possible and to buy materials as much as possible from local houses. Between twenty-five and forty men will be employed on the work, and the contract provides that the building will be completed by May 20, 1927.

The conference was attended by the architects, Messrs. Sharp & Thompson, of Vancouver, and by Mr. J. D. Kearns, vice-president of the Associated Canadian Hotels, Limited, which company will operate the hotel when completed.

### Ladies' Aid Meets

KEATINGE, Nov. 13.—The Ladies' Aid Society met in the church parlor on Thursday afternoon for its regular business meeting. Questions concerning the Sunday School work were discussed. After a discussion it was decided not to hold the annual sale of home cooking this year. The ladies decided to serve refreshments to the players taking part in the three-act comedy, "All on Account of Polly," which will be presented at the Temperance Hall, Keatinge, on Wednesday evening, November 24, by the local Young People's Society.

### Ladysmith News

LADYSMITH, Nov. 13.—The choir of the Ladysmith United Church assisted the choir of St. Andrew's and Haliburton Street churches, Nanaimo, in the United church anniversary services held in that city on Thursday evening. An anthem was rendered by the Ladysmith choir.

The Court of Revision of the voters' list will sit on December 10. Alderman Devenport and Alderman Davidson were appointed at the last regular meeting of the City Council to act on that day and attend to any objections which may be made to the list of voters.

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# IN THE RADIO WORLD

Activities of Radio Enthusiasts in Canada, the United States and Foreign Lands



## Better Quarters Are Available to Members

Local Radio Club Allowed by Military to Use Pavilion at Clover Point—Lectures Will Be Given There This Winter

The Victoria Radio Club is to use the pavilion at Clover Point Range, by permission of the General Officer Commanding, and immediate transfer will take place.

The building, which is twenty-eight feet by fifteen, with a committee room in addition, has recently been redecorated. It will be a great improvement on the two premises where the members have met since the organization came into being, and aerials will be placed in position, the reception being much better in that location.

Address on short wave transmission, by Mr. H. J. Cunningham, will commence there on Friday next.

The club is steadily increasing its membership, and the new quarters should be of great stimulus to the organization.

## RADIO TELEGRAPHY SUPPLANTING CABLES

Important Influence on Cable Traffic Is Reported in Transatlantic Messages

"In two or three years persons in Europe will be able to telephone directly to the United States, Signor Marconi, the wireless wizard, said recently.

Marconi is now arranging to erect a huge radio station in the Vatican gardens, which will enable the Pope to address his followers personally all over the world.

"We can speak 1,000 miles today by wireless telephone with the greatest ease and certainty," Signor Marconi continued, "and we will have shortly a circuit between Rome and London and elsewhere in Europe. It is probably only a matter of months until it will be wholly practical to reach any point on the globe without exorbitant costs."

"Under good conditions we have already talked between London and New

York. We are learning more about wireless telephony daily."

Signor Marconi announced that he has practically concluded his experiments in directing wireless telegraph messages only in one direction with entire success and that the new system would be put into commercial practice shortly. The new system is much more economical of power.

"Radio telegraphing is supplanting the cables so rapidly that the cable companies are handling only one-third of the entire transatlantic communications, although there are seventeen cable circuits," Signor Marconi continued.

"The new directional system will give a further advantage to radio because of the great economy involved."

## PILGRIMS' HOUR WILL GO ON AIR

Will Be Presented on Tuesday Evening by KGO, With New Theme Underlying Programme

Traveling back to youth is the central theme of the Pilgrims' Hour at KGO, Tuesday night, November 16, between 8 and 9 o'clock.

All of sound, that is, music, speech and noise, will be used in the Pilgrims' broadcast to convey ideas and awaken emotions in radio listeners.

Constructed upon a new idea of radio programme, for the Pilgrims' hour is the first truly artistic advertisement in sound, sponsored by the National Carbon Company, broadcast on the Pacific Coast. This will be the eighteenth time of the Pilgrims' group before the KGO microphone and already hundreds of people in several Western States are tuning in regularly on Tuesday nights to hear them.

Reviews of mail received after Pilgrims broadcasts indicate an interest in the new programme from outside the ranks of regular radio listeners. Advertising men, anxious to know what can be done by spreading sound over a wide area from a broadcast station, are showing particular interest in the Pilgrims' broadcasts.

On Pacific Coast expert commented on a recent Pilgrims broadcast as follows: "I believe the Pilgrims' idea of using sound through radio can be developed into an effective advertisement. The Pilgrims' programme is artistic and good to listen to, entertains one first of all, and incidentally lets one know who is responsible for the programme. At the same time it names the advertiser, it also names his product and identifies both in the listener's mind with the good-will created by the entertainment."

Local radio fans report particularly good reception from KMOX, St. Louis, and poor results with Eastern Canadian stations.

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## U.S. Leads in Radio Exports

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—United States exports of radio apparatus last year totalled a little short of \$10,000,000, United Kingdom exported about \$4,500,000, according to statistics compiled at the U. S. Department of Commerce.

British exports to Irish Free State, the Netherlands, Spain, France and Sweden totalled \$1,305,949, approximately forty per cent of the entire radio exports from that country.

In shipments to Canada, United States far outstripped the mother country, exporting radio goods valued at \$3,703,000, as against \$259,000 exported by the United Kingdom.

Similarly, in Latin-America, the United States proved to be the principal radio exporter.

## KGO OFFERS GRAND OPERA TOMORROW

Tabloid Version of "Carmen" Will Be Presented by the Gondoliers on Monday

A central theme will be introduced into the programme of the Gondoliers, a troupe of musical entertainers, before the KGO microphone, Monday night, November 15, when a tabloid version of the grand opera "Carmen" will be given.

The Gondoliers is a something new in radio programmes. It is designed to be an artistic advertisement in sound, which first of all entertains the radio listener, and incidentally advertises the sponsor of the programme, namely the Royal Typewriter Company.

The plan of the Gondoliers is that of a boy and a girl in a canoe, playing and singing their favorite pieces of music, occasionally stopping off at an island in the imaginary lake to join their friends in more music.

No personalities of the artists are divulged in the words of the announcer, or in the talk during the broadcast. The hour in which the Gondoliers are on the air is divided into three equal parts, each part more or less a complete programme within itself.

The object of this division of the Gondolier hour into three parts, is to make it possible for a radio listener to tune in at any time during the hour, and within twenty minutes hear a well-balanced programme, with distinctive color about it which will enable him to recognize it again.

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## EXPEDITIONS PLAN TO USE SHORT WAVES

Brazilian Abyssinian Parties Use Field Portable Stations for Transmission

Two expeditions now in the field, and relying entirely on short-wave communications to keep in touch with civilization, are the Roosevelt expedition, near Sao Paulo, Brazil, and the Chicago Field Museum, in Abyssinia. The former has a main station with two field portable stations, under the calls assigned by the Brazilian Government as SQIZ and SQ2A, while the base station is known in radio language as GMD. This station has been in contact with various Atlantic coast amateurs, as well as a few South Americans.

The Abyssinian expedition, previously announced under the call letters WODX, will use forty-five meters with the new call of BAUM.

It is interesting to note that only a few years ago an expedition going into the unknown was practically lost to civilization until it came out again. Today many more expeditions are going into the most remote and dangerous places with the assurance that their compact and not too heavy radio apparatus will keep them in touch with headquarters, so that relief expeditions may be sent out immediately they are necessary. Incidentally, the world at large knows of any notable discoveries made by such expeditions practically on the day they occur—a long call from the methods of a Selkirk-Livingstone or Christopher Columbus.

## Calgary Eye Opener Shut Out by Customs

OTTAWA, Nov. 13.—The Calgary Eye-Opener, "An Illustrated Magazine published monthly at Minneapolis, Minn.," is prohibited importation into Canada under provisions of the Customs Act. Announcement of this is made by the Customs Department.

The Calgary Eye-Opener, as published in Minneapolis, bears no resemblance to the famous old "Eye-Opener" published for many years as a Calgary weekly by the late R. C. Edwards, M.L.A. That publication came to an end automatically when its one-man staff died.

The present publication has no connection with Calgary other than its name.

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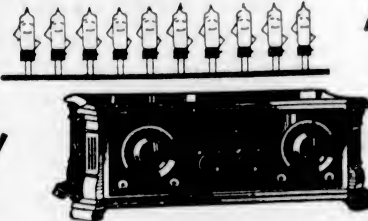
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Wishing you every success in the future, I remain

Yours truly,



## MAKING RECEPTION BETTER IN CANADA

Listeners Are Given Fixed Rules to Follow for Controlling the Regenerative Radio Receivers

MONTREAL, Nov. 13.—The following circular has been issued to Canadian broadcast stations by the radio branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries at Ottawa. It says:

"A recent departmental survey of radio broadcast reception conditions in the more populated centres of the Dominion indicates that approximately fifty per cent of the preventable interference which prevails is caused through incorrect operation of regenerative receiving sets by the broadcast listeners themselves.

"The survey further indicates that most of this interference is due to a lack of knowledge of correct methods of adjusting a regenerative receiving set, and it is accordingly hoped that a material reduction in the same may be effected if the broadcast listeners can be persuaded to co-operate in an endeavor to clear the air of regenerative whistles, and with this end in view the following instructions for operating this class of receiving set have been drafted:

"In radio receivers of the regenerative type part of the output of the detector vacuum tube has the effect of greatly increasing the volume of the signal.

"When a radio receiving set in a state of oscillation is being tuned to a broadcast station:

"1. It causes whistles in radio receiving sets of all types which are tuned to the same station. This interference may be heard up to a distance of several miles.

"2. It distorts the quality of your own music.

"3. It uses more B battery power and shortens the life of the B battery in reduced.

"4. It tends to reduce the life of the detector tube.

"When a radio receiving set in a state of oscillation is exactly tuned to a broadcast station it is said to be in the state of zero beat. This distorts the broadcast reception and also interferes with neighboring receiving sets which are tuned to the same station. In a word, regeneration carried to oscillation causes great annoyance to your neighbors, poor reception and expense to yourself and has no advantages whatever.

"Many so-called non-radiating receivers will under certain conditions radiate and thus cause interference. Make it your business to see that your set is not causing trouble.

"If you will take the trouble to observe the rules which follow you will obtain greater satisfaction and enjoyment from your receiving set and at the same time cause a minimum annoyance to your neighbors.

"1. Practice on tuning powerful stations first, and do not try to pick up weak distant stations until you become expert.

"2. Use both hands, one hand for the regeneration control and the other hand for the tuning control.

"3. Keep the regeneration control always just below the point of oscillation, your set is then in the most sensitive condition. This is the reason for using your two hands for tuning.

"4. If your set then accidentally breaks into oscillation, turn back the regeneration control at once.

"5. Do not try to find a station by the 'whistle'. If your set is tuned just below the whistling point the signals will come in clear and your regeneration control can be turned in a little farther to increase the volume.

"Keep a log or record of the exact setting of the tuning and regeneration dial for each station you hear on your radio set."

## FARMER CHIEF RADIO BUYER, SURVEY SHOWS

Mail Order House Opens Engineering Division to Handle Radio Inquiries

The farmer has become the principal purchaser of radio sets, according to a survey of the radio field which was the leading mail order house in the United States has just completed through its seven branch houses. The number of radio sets on the farms has doubled in the last eighteen months, and the farmer is coming to regard radio as a necessity instead of a luxury, the survey shows.

The rapid increase is due in part to the fact that the farmer is becoming more of a business man and depends on the radio for quick information of business items pertaining to weather, crops, markets and prices. And he and the family are qualified to enjoy high-class music.

Interest on the farm in radio engineering has reached such a point that a mail order house has opened a special engineering division of its radio department, headed by a staff of experts with ten correspondents to handle inquiries. It is announced that the 1926 volume of radio sales by this company already has reached several millions of dollars, not including accessories.

When Uncle Sam planned his enlarged farm radio programme for the 1926-27 season he made special provision for the five million women of the nation who have a chance to tune in on whatever they please, at least during the day time. He employed a special representative known as "Aunt Sammy," whose official duty it is to assemble material and write entertaining and reliable programmes for the "Housekeepers' Chat," a five-day-a-week, fifteen-minute period devoted exclusively to up-to-date information on subjects of interest to women.

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If the baby cries while a menu is being broadcast, or the turnips boil over, and the housewife misses part of a recipe, she can get a mimeographed copy of the recipes and menus from the broadcasting station. In this way recipes may be checked and radio cook books kept accurate.

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## AUNT SAMMY HELPS HOMEMAHER WORK

Aim of Government Programme Is Big Lift For Mother and Family at Home

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Voice of V.P.O. Had Thrill During Great War—Well-Known Radio Technician

One of the pioneer radio broadcast announcers of the West in Clair E. Morrison, chief announcer at station KPO, Hale Brothers and The Chronicle, San Francisco.

Morrison's voice was first heard in more or less incoherent howls in the town of Savannah, Missouri, on June 22, 1895, but no microphones being present, was not audible at quite the distance it has since attained.

The KPO "signal" went into radio as a matter of course, his father being a railroad telegrapher, who is still in active service, and at the age of fifteen years he embarked on a ship bound for the Orient as a radio operator, and since 1911 has derived his livelihood from radio. Morrison's experience until 1920 was entirely as a ship's operator, but in that year he got his first land station experience in charge of an Alaska Packer's transmitter in Alaska.

It was during these years that Morrison experienced the thrill of his life when he was washed overboard in the North Atlantic during the war and floated for eighteen hours before being picked up, dead, than alive, by a passing destroyer convoy.

With the excitement and hardships of these years behind him, Morrison was put in charge of the old Emporium broadcasting station, KSL, in 1921, and has been an active announcer and radio technician since that date. He remained with KSL until January 16, 1923, when KPO came on the air with its 500-watt transmitter, then the last word in broadcasting equipment. During the early history of KPO, Morrison was called upon to act as chief operator, announcer, programme director and information bureau and led a busy life.

During his term of service at KPO, Morrison has introduced to the radio audience leaders in every walk of life, stars of the stage and screen, cabinet officers, military and naval heroes, nationally famous athletes, opera singers and thousands of lesser lights who have appeared before the microphones in more than three years. His voice has been heard from within the Arctic Circle to the Straits of Magellan, from Australia to England, and in unnumbered cities and towns of the North American Continent. Whichever KPO has been heard the voice of the chief announcer has penetrated and Morrison probably is one of the best known products of Savannah, where he first announced his presence and desire to be heard.

## University Teaching By Means of Radio Planned in England

It is possible that a great wireless university may come into being when, next January, the control of British wireless programmes passes into the hands of the new Broadcasting Corporation.

To investigate the possibilities of the scheme a committee has been appointed with Sir Herbert Hadow, vice-chancellor of Sheffield University, as chairman.

The plan will be rendered technically possible by the establishment of regional high power stations, permitting alternative broadcasting programmes, so that those who do not desire to listen to the educational lectures may tune in to the entertainment programme.

At their own free will students could listen to lectures by the leading educational experts, and higher education would be brought within the reach of the masses.

## Mr. Earl C. Anthony Chosen President Of Broadcasters

Mr. Earl C. Anthony, owner of station KFI, Los Angeles, has been significantly honored by being elected the position of president of the National Association of Broadcasters at their annual convention at New York City recently. Radio fans feel that this does not alone bring honor to station KFI, but the Pacific Coast in general.

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A doctor had been called to see a man who was very ill. He examined him and said to the nurse—

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"You were hardly out of the room," she began. "When he said, 'When did the old idiot say he was coming back again?' These were the last sensible words the patient spoke."

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He: For heaven's sake leave me alone! Do I look capable of coping with a headache?

She: So it's as bad as that, is it, you poor dear? What a pity it's all your own fault!

He: Fat lot of sympathy a fellow gets from you. All my own fault, indeed! I like that!

She: I'm sure I don't see who else there is for you to blame; unless you put it all on the weather, of course.

He: Look here, what exactly are you getting at?

She: Well, there's some reason isn't there?

He: Reason? I should think there is! I'm being over-worked at the office—grossly over-worked. Why, I haven't been able to get a proper lunch for a week. And then, as if that weren't enough, no sooner do

I settle down for the only rest I've the faintest hope of getting than you start this eternal babble about your relatives.

She: One would think you'd married me out of the Zoo, the way you talk. But enough of this shilly-shally, young man. Own up at once. Who's been missing his Kruschen?

He: Good Lord, I'd forgotten all—

She: I knew it! You can't have so much as seen the bottle for days and days. No wonder you feel ripe for the silent tomb.

He: You see, I thought I was doing so well that I could carry on with out the little daily dose and—

She: And then you get taken like this just to teach you you can't!

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## Rearrangement of Round World Travel Forecast

Effort Is Being Made to Build Liners to Cut Thirteen Days Off London-Sydney-Suez Route—Would Affect Existing Mail Route

According to information to hand on the liner Niagara last evening, it is possible that a journey round the world by way of Canada, across the Pacific to Sydney, and round to England by sea through the Suez Canal, may be done in nine weeks, instead of eleven weeks.

At present, were a passenger to rush round the world by ordinary means of travel, through Canada, across the Pacific to Yokohama, and by the Imperial Japanese and Trans-Siberian Railways, the journey could be made in about thirty-eight days.

The effort in connection with the London, Manilla, Bombay, Colombo and Australian route is to cut the present journey practically two weeks, from forty-one days to twenty-eight days.

A fortnightly mail, passenger and cargo service is contemplated, to reach Bombay from Southampton in thirteen days instead of twenty-one days, and Sydney in twenty-eight days instead of forty-one days. For this purpose seven new ships would be built, each of 24,000 tons and a sea speed of twenty-two knots, with accommodations for first and third class passengers, and the most modern equipment for refrigerated cargo. The ships are estimated to cost £10,000,000. They would be built in England.

If this project should materialize, a letter posted in Sydney would reach London in a month, as compared with thirty-six days by the overland Canadian route, which at present is the fastest service, thus beating the existing mail route by a week.



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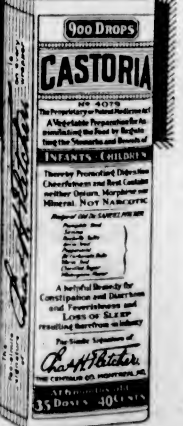
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## NO NEED TO FEAR AWAKENING OF ASIA

SIR FREDERICK WHITE SEES IN IT A NEW INCENTIVE TO PROGRESS

Looks for Good Results From the League—Deals With Outlook for Future

TORONTO, Nov. 12.—"The relations between Europe and Asia in the Twentieth Century have been the subject of anxious discussion by many writers ever since Europe realized that the victory of Japan over Russia, twenty years ago, was the first sign that a new era had dawned in the East," declared Sir Frederick White, in opening a series of lectures on "India and the Political Awakening of Asia," the first of which he delivered last night in Convocation Hall.

"There is a Chinese proverb which says that men live only a hundred years, but cherish the griefs of a thousand," continued Sir Frederick, "applying the moral here, a critic of my thesis might suggest that Asia will bid her time, but her house in order, and at some distant day realize that the same surprise as Japan struck Russia, twenty years ago. For my part I do not think we need entertain this hope. Neither Europe nor Asia, in the measure of any other criterion, is there any cause for alarm in what is called the menace of color. It is the measure of economic and political growth of Asia," Sir Frederick declared, "a new incentive to progress for us; and I do not doubt that the League of Nations will produce excellent results for the future of our race does not fail to respond to so plain a call."

"If Europe will consent to use the instruments and to assimilate the spirit of the League of Nations in her own domestic concerns," suggested Sir Frederick, "she will find that some of the Asiatic nations, notably the Japanese and the Chinese, will be more rapidly welcome her co-operation in their affairs. And they will be prepared to adopt the League as the arena of their foreign policy with a greater alacrity than any European nation has yet shown."

Sir Frederick acknowledged freely that there was much to be done in Europe before the League of Nations could be secure haven for any nation, "but its growth in stature during the past seven years and the manifest influence which it already exercises over European thought are favorable signs," he stated. "The League spreads the benefit of its spirit in a method more widely over the world, relations now existing between East and West by offering each of its members a fair field, an equal opportunity, regardless of their material power."

Outlook in Asia

"The twentieth century," Sir Frederick declared, "it is to rival the nineteenth, especially in political achievement; must take a new course. By all means let it carry on the marvelous labors of its predecessor in the sphere of invention of science and industry, but a new departure in international relations is needed to prevent each new discovery from becoming merely a weapon of destruction. As different peoples reach different heights of achievement and show different kinds of excellence," Sir Frederick continued, "each ought to enjoy the best opportunity to show what is in them. We want to see Asia display her ancient power in two ways, either by following our example, or if that proves ungenial to her, as well it may, by creating her own new policy. So far, Asia, with but one exception, have done little more than imitate the West, almost slavishly, in the use of Ford cars, motion pictures and parlour games."

Sir Frederick then took a bird's eye view of the new Asia in four countries, Turkey, Persia, China, and Japan. While speaking of China, Sir Frederick noted, "that if representative democracy is to be the future of the world, the democratic spirit is not the medicine itself, but an overdose of China in former times proved that a nation may be democratic without democratic institutions. China, in our day, has proved that political democracy is a special condition requiring qualities which the Chinese do not possess. China, in the future, has to prove that these qualities, when they are not innate, can be acquired."

"Japan alone, among the States of Asia," Sir Frederick declared, "has drunk deep of the fountain of the West, without forsaking her Oriental birthright. She has become a modern power, without that catastrophic breach with ancient tradition which has brought chaos elsewhere. She may yet prove to be the object lesson to all Asiatic people in the difficult enterprise of initiating the West without losing their own political past. This imitation of our Western models, which we have glanced at in four Asiatic countries in a moment, is able when we remember that in his private thoughts no Asiatic thinks of the European as, in any vital sense, his superior."

## ITALIAN POET WORKS ON RIGID SCHEDULE

D'Annunzio Labors Day and Night on Two Ambitious Works—Watches World News

ROME, Nov. 12.—The veil of mystery surrounding Gabriele D'Annunzio's self-imposed exile in his villa at Gardone Riviera has been partly lifted. It discloses the soldier poet cut off from all worldly contacts, laboring as much as fourteen or sixteen hours a day over two ambitious works, a mystery play, with Christ as the protagonist, and a drama based on the life of St. Francis of Assisi. He is also revising and assembling a number of his little-known prose and verse pieces.

D'Annunzio writes steadily, stopping only for brief meals or a bath, and bends over his manuscript far into the night under the light of an antique lamp. The house is silent as a tomb, and not a single visitor is admitted.

His wife, Princess Gailina, was refused when she asked in a letter from Paris to be permitted to go to Gardone to console him after an illness. Even the poet's daughter was denied entrance.

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Immediately the project was suspended. Premier Mussolini will have the last word as to whether or not it shall be abandoned.

D'Annunzio also took time to consent to Senator Vincenzo Morelli's scheme to create a repertory theatre to tour Italy, playing D'Annunzio pieces.

Of the poet's new work, that about Christ will show the struggle between the flourishing pagan era and the new faith. The drama of St. Francis will trace the transportation of a wayward youth into the man known as the "Saintliest of Saints."

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